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The many qualifications necessary to membership in the club—whose members are not concerned with stamps at all—include some acts and the acquiring of some knowledge which most people do not encounter until maturity.

The club is still in existence in the school, with a current membership of between 11 and 16 boys and girls ranging in age from 12 to 15.

Almost all the rumors investigated by The Daily Colonist were found to be the variety "heard from a friend who has a friend who—"

"I don't think there is any real change from the normal," said one of many doctors interviewed on the subject.

"What boids are you going to judge morality on anyway," he added. "There far more than 10 years ago."

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Princess To Wed

King Haakon VII of Norway has announced the engagement of his granddaughter, Princess Ragnhild, 22, above, to a wartime resistance leader who was once her bodyguard. The bride-groom, a commoner, is Capt. Erling Lorentzen, 30, who attended school in the U.S. The princess will lose her titles when she weds in May. (Central Press Canadian Photo).

Bet Pays $267,500

CARACAS (Venezuela) AP) A 35-year-old widow with eight children won $267,500 on a $1.20 bet. She was the only person to pick the winners of six horse races Sunday.

Concepcion Blanco de Herrera, a laundress had only another $1.20 left to buy food. She said it was the second time she had bet on the horses. She won $6 to $15 weekly washing clothes.

She said she would buy some houses.

U.K. To Sell Arms to Arabs

LONDON (Reuters)—The House of Commons has ruled the government's policy of selling jet fighters to Egypt and other Arab states, despite Israeli protests.

Prime Minister Churchill's Conservatives won a majority of 20 in a vote which climaxed a long, spirited debate, called by Labor opposition.

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"This is the first time a definite statement has been made to the CBC," Mr. Armstrong said. "It appears that the CBC is cornering all major markets for itself."

William Lonid, manager of CJVI, said, "It is absolutely ridiculous. It is like saying that Victoria people must read Vancouver newspapers, and now have their own paper here."

He added, "If response to CBC television is anything like the present response to its radio programs, then 90 per cent of TV viewers here will be tuned in on Seattle.

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Press Fails To Open Vice Trial

NEW YORK AP) A vote filed to order General Sessions Judge Francis L. Valente to open the Miami Jake vice trial to the public and press.

Justice Benjamin Schreiber said Tuesday that the Supreme Court "has no right or power" to decide whether the judge "should or should not have ordered the exclusion of the public and press from the trial."

Jake Ellzeratti margarine here is accused of inducing several young women to become prostitutes and of living off their earnings.

The New York newspapers two wire services and a feature syndicate contested the ban, describing it as censorship.

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New Commander

Lieut.-Gen. H. Wetter is the new commander-in-chief of British Commonwealth forces in Korea. Canadians in Korea will be under his command. (Central Press Canadian).

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Mosher Favors Unity

BY BILL MAYOR
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VANCOUVER The labor branch is held out for unionized Canadian Congress of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress (CCL National Director A. R. Mosher said here yesterday in an interview.

He said the Colonist that he felt it is up to the TLC to indicate willingness to talk amalgamation. He seems absolutely opposed to have two large labor organizations in Canada he said.

If the two organizations amalgamated I would be a leader. I would be willing to step down," Mr Mosher said.

He said no thoughts, however of retiring as CCL president so long as unions seek his leadership, said the 63-year-old national president.

Social Credit Budget Due This Afternoon

Finance Minister Einar Gunderson will present the Social Credit government's budget in the House at 2.30 p.m. today.

Presentation is expected to take several hours, followed by the rising of the House.

Opposition members will require as much time as possible before beginning comment on the budget, which is expected to be controversial.

Harold Winch, Leader of the Opposition, will keynote the opposing views to the speech.

He will have approximately 24 hours to study a written copy of the budget before he begins his speech.

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Surviving Twin Thrives

CHICAGO (AP) Rodney Dee, twin who was severed from his twin Roger Lee in a history-making operation December 17, surprises were faced to deprive Roger Lee of a vital blood vessel at the top of give him a skin cover for his brain. The skull and he died 34 days exposed brain.

The skina had been joined at the skull and so died.

Doctors who have said Rod ney Dee will be able to lead a "relatively normal life" if he survives said the boy is still critical as in critical condition as long as there is danger of infection in the brain.

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Three Face Arson Charge

COURTENAY — Three men were charged with arson in city police court Tuesday and remanded in custody until February 26.

Edward Hillar Anderson, Fanny Bay; Ralph Burke, RCAF station, Comox, and Arthur W. Leighton, Courtenay, were charged that on January 1, 1953, they did wilfully set fire to the house of Magistrate George H. Pidcock.

Magistrate John Ryland set bail at $5,000 each. If bail is not forthcoming the trio will be escorted to Oakalla today.

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Victoria will definitely be in a fringe area from Vancouver TV stations, he said just as the city is in Seattle's television fringe.

"The signal is inconsistent in a fringe area," he pointed out. "Weather has a great bearing on reception especially in a fringe area.

Howe Reports Plans For Peaceful Atom

OTTAWA (CP) — Trade Minister Howe told the Commons Tuesday there is no plan for launching investigations in harness the atom to light cities and run farmers.

Mr. Howe said it is planned to give present-day public and private hydro power companies a major place in launching atomic power. They would receive scientific help from Atomic Energy of Canada, Ltd., the Crown-owned company which operates Canada's atomic program.

The minister said atomic power will cost more at the start. However, it would eventually be cheaper.

He did not predict how long it would take. But he has previously estimated that Canada might produce atomic power within five years.

Mr. Howe also told the Commons that Canada is going into the isotope business on a big way, that work now is going on at the Chalk River, Ont. atomic plant that will give her a new reactor in place of one recently demolished by an explosion that caused a scare.

Canada's production of atomic raw material—uranium—that was which comes into production in May, tapping the biggest Canadian field yet found, Mr. Howe said.

NEW PLANT

Canada has made progress in uranium production, he said. She had her original mine at Port Radium, on Great Bear Lake, and now a mill was under construction in the Beaver Lodge area of Saskatchewan, where a deposit much larger though of lower grade than at Eldorado, had been found. The Beaver Lodge mill would come into production in May, boosting the supply of uranium from Canadian reserves, he said.

The ministry spoke on a two million setting up a special Crown company to take over the government's atomic program.

Members approved the resolution, some praising the foresight of the ministry and Dr. C. J. Mackenzie, head of Atomic Energy of Canada, in putting the country in the forefront in peaceful atomic investigations.

Food Output Boost Asked

LONDON (AP) Prime Minister Churchill has urged British farmers to boost food output 60 per cent above pre-war levels to meet a dangerous lack of balance between population and food supply.

He pledged agriculture would have greater freedom from government control to help meet the goal.

He addressed a National Farmers Union dinner Tuesday night in a speech important to writing the last section of food from abroad now as it was during the dark days of war.

India's Envoy Talks with Stalin

MOSCOW (AP) Stalin and the Indian ambassador to Russia, K. P. S. Menon had a half-hour talk at the Kremlin Tuesday night Unofficially, they discussed the Korean armistice issue.

Moscow radio announced Stalin also conferred with Dr. Safuddin Kitchlu, chairman of the All-Indian Peace Council, who was awarded a Stalin Peace Prize last year. The radio gave no further details.

A former foreign secretary and ambassador to Moscow, Nationalist China Menon was accompanied to the Kremlin by the first secretary of his embassy, Mr. Sen. The deputy foreign minister Jacob Malik sat in with Stalin.

The Russian decline comment on the Korean armistice talks, which the Indian Ambassador brought up in the UN General Assembly last fall. The Indian delegation plan, incorporating western views on non-forcible repatriation of war prisoners, was rejected by Russia.

Prime Minister Nehru is expected to discuss the Korean armistice with Menon, who is said it would continue efforts to reach a truce.

Along with Korea a possible topic of conversation was a proposed Anglo-American agreement to open the door for Pakistan, Russian neighbor of India, to enter the long-projected Middle East defense organization. Nehru has expressed concern that this might increase the tension between India and Pakistan and western support for the latter's claim to disputed Kashmir.

Menon, 54, is the second foreign envoy Stalin has seen in the last 10 days. He met Polish Premier Bierut Tuesday night. The new ambassador to Moscow, Dr. Leopoldo Bravo.

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Straith Hits Liquor Probe As Too Brief, Incomplete

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He said membership should not have been limited to Vancouver citizens, said suggested that the report did not represent feeling on the problem in Victoria and other parts of the province.

The commission, he said, to be adequate, should have included a woman warned Mr. Straith.

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VANCOUVER — The move to unite the Canadian Congress of Labor and the Trades and Labor Congress, CCL-National President A. R. Mosher said here yesterday in an interview.

He said The Colonist that he felt it is up to the TLC to indicate willingness to talk amalgamation. It seems absolutely wrong when it becomes apparent that the organizations in Canada," he said.

Referring to charges that there was no unanimity and amalgamation, Mr. Bonner said Semiliam in the Social Credit Party, i.e. Attorney-general declared.

He had no thoughts, however, of retiring as CCL president so long as unions seek his leadership, said the 71-year-old national president.

Wages are most important only in certain industries and localities, he said. "Their great importance is what they will purchase."

Bet Pays $267,500

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) A 35-year-old widow with eight children won $267,500 on a $1.20 bet. She was the only person to pick the winners of the horse races Sunday.

Concepcion Blanco de Herrera, a housewife, had only another $1.20 left to buy food. She said it was the second time she had bet on the horses. She earns from $6 to $15 weekly washing clothes.

She said she would buy some horses.

Social Credit Budget Due This Afternoon

Finance Minister Einar Gunderson will present the Social Credit government's budget in the House at 2.30 p.m. today.

Presentation is expected to take several hours, followed by the rising of the House.

Opposition members will require as much time as possible before beginning comment on the budget, which is expected to be controversial.

Harold Winch, Leader of the Opposition, will keynote the opposition's attack on the budget.

He will have approximately 24 hours to study a written copy of the budget before he begins his speech.

Pearkes Asks Questions On Destroyer Conversion

BY TOM GREEN
Colonist Ottawa Correspondent

OTTAWA — Major-General G. R. Pearkes, VC, MP, Tuesday placed a number of questions on the order paper of the House of Commons regarding the conversion of HMCS Athabaskan and Iroquois and Crescent, now on the Pacific coast, into submarine chasers, with the idea of finding out where the work is being done and the cost involved.

The questions of the Nanaimo member were prompted by the report that the policy is to distribute the work among shipyards across Canada, but all the shipyards, not too frequently this policy is withstanding. This statement not being observed.

made recently, by associate defence minister R. O. Campney.

General Pearkes has been in communication with the Victoria Joint shipyard council, a council of all shipyard unions.

It will do everything in my power to ensure that Victoria yards receive their fair share of defence work, he said.

General Pearkes told the Colonist, "The government seems to be frequently said

Enters Third Month Since Separation

Surviving Twin Prospers

CHICAGO (AP) — Rodney Hall stood upright at the top of give him a skin cover for his Dee Brodie yesterday began his third month since doctors separated his Siamese twin and drawing said he will probably undergo another operation within two weeks to complete a skin covering over his skull.

Doctors who have said Rodney Dee will be able to lead a "relatively normal life" if he survives, said the boy is still in critical condition and will be in a coma for a long time. There is danger of the operations and is still too weak to undergo another operation.

Since the separation he has gurgles at times and becomes a fixed to deprive Roger Lee of a undergone three operations to bal avoid his crib.

exposed brain.

Doctors said they hope to complete the skin cover within the next three weeks and then start thinking about putting a dome under the skin for support. They expect to use a base graft, but may employ a sheet of plastic instead.

Rodney has had a total of 17 operations and is still too weak to undergo another operation.

Rodney's twin, Roger Lee, who was separated from his twin Roger Lee in a dinner making operation fection in the brain.

December 17. Surgeons were

ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

SOME people are good at waiting, but I'm not. I don't mean waiting on tables. When it comes to that particular skill, I'm like the man who was asked whether he could play the violin. I don't know, because I have never tried.

Waiting is a specialist's subject, for future, waiting for an idea, waiting for a job, waiting for the wife, waiting for waiters and just waiting.

Waiting is tedious. Saints endure it. Cows enjoy it. Saints use waiting as a chance to bring self-control to bear, and meditate upon the word "Om." Cows, bovine and human, welcome a chance to loiter, because they're not going anywhere, and waiting gives them an excuse to lounge.

Human cows settle down to wait with a big, happy grin on their round faces. They chew a stray fin a restaurant, a toothpick) and lean back in their chairs, at peace with the world.

Ordinary people chew their nails instead. They pace up and down, or drum with their fingers on the table. They smoke one cigarette after another, and sometimes (in extreme cases) two cigarettes at once.

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People who have been in the armed services know a lot about waiting. They have spent most of their careers waiting to enlist, waiting for a course, waiting to be posted, and when they are posted, waiting to find someone who knows why they are there.

With all that experience, you might think they would get to like waiting, or at least get used to it. They don't, however. After they have waited for, and got, their discharge, they hate waiting as much as ever.

Waiting habits vary from one nation to another. There are more saints and cows among the English than among Canadians and Americans. Because there are so many Englishmen in such a small space, they have a greater respect for the rights of others, a greater stolidity of temperament, than people on this continent.

Englishmen, therefore, wait in queues and North Americans often wait in struggling, lamentable masses. When North Americans are jammed together in one place, they refuse to recognize the fact, and continue to behave as though they were roaming through the woods.

In Britain, certain entertainers, called "buskers," make a living by playing to people who are waiting in a queue—usually a theatre queue. For all I know, the buskers may queue up for a chance to entertain at any given place, and others buskers in turn entertain them.

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Some of the world's dreariest waiting is done in dentists' and doctors' offices. Many of the people in those offices are in a tough position, because they are waiting for something they don't like. They don't like the waiting either, so they have two things to be gloomy about.

Waiting is always easier when you have something to do, and patients (what a misleading word! in dentists' and doctors' ante-rooms at least have the consolation of reading matter—if they like the Stone-Mason's Journal and Tailor of April 1901.

What we need are some buskers to cheer up dentists' waiting rooms.

Liberal Parley Set Back

Convention of British Columbia Liberal Association has been set back at the request of Liberal members of parliament and senators.

Attendance of Liberal MLAs also was uncertain due to the current session of the House.

The convention was set for February 27 and 28.

Some people felt the session would be in eight, a new date will be set, allowing also for attendance of members of B.C. senators and members now in Ottawa.

The move was announced by Mrs. J. L. Gates, president of the B.C. Liberal Association.

The late T. P. Loblaw, one-time organizer of a large chain of grocery stores, was an orphan at the age of 15.

Sacred Dare Rejected, Support Unanimous

Continued from Page 1

ance fund to take care of pre-paid insurance or any serious epidemic which might strike the province.

The attorney-general told the House the government was just sifted the passing orders-in-council (in conformity with a statute passed by the Legislature

[illegible] to say the government is being undemocratic in passing statute," he declared, adding that the opposition might have cause to complain if the government had not been passing orders after assuming office.

"The words democratic and undemocratic are being bandied about either side of the club or about a shield depending on the circumstances," he said.

He noted that the CCF had called the government undemocratic because it failed to pass an order to clear up the election in Vancouver-Burrard.

The attorney-general also [illegible] charges that the government was trying to stifle debate on the Throne Speech. He said the debate had lasted as long as most such debates in the last 10 years.

"If government members had been anxious to gag the opposition," he said, "Stress was laid on the introduction of the budget, he explained, because the citizens of the province are anxious to see how B.C.'s first Social Credit government plans to introduce its annual program of efficiency with economy.

The attorney-general accused the opposition of trying to get the maximum publicity for their remarks during the Throne Speech debate.

No Opposition Due

Demolition of the old Girls' planned no further steps to halt Central Junior High School and the school board program.

construction of a modern junior high, will not be opposed by the provincial government.

The house is purely a local issue according to Mrs. Tilly Rolston, minister of education. Earlier she had been asked by city council representatives to prevent the step.

The Greater Victoria School Board voted Monday night to take the action.

Mayor Claude Harrison and Trustee Joseph Tapes of school

Queen Mary, widow of King George V, was born in May 26 1867.

ATOM PROJECT BALTED

AUGUSTA Ga. AP) — Construction of the huge savannah river plant of the atomic energy commission was halted when 27,000 workers refused to cross picket lines set up by striking painters. An AFL-spokesman said 500 AFL painters went on strike Monday in a wage dispute.

Premier Pays Secret Visit

Premier W. A. C. Bennett yesterday took the first probable step in his program for an early dissolution of the House and a general British Columbia election.

He went to Government House for a secret visit with Lieutenant Governor Clarence Wallace.

Mr. Bennett's chief complaint it was indicated, was lack of cooperation for his minority Social Credit government.

Opposition leaders, however stated that the lack of cooperation came from the premier (it was alleged).

They said that the premier had notified them when he decided to present his budget, but had indicated no desire to discuss the plans for presenting the budget. Thus they said to desired lack of cooperation was the premier, rather than by the opposition.

T. Kenney, Liberal House leader, speaking on a point of privilege in the legislature Monday, denied he had stated that the Liberals would rather see the lieutenant-governor call on

W. L. McKay, Former City Pastor Dies

A former president of the British Columbia Baptist Convention, Rev. W. L. McKay, 65, died in the West Coast General Hospital at Port Alberni yesterday afternoon.

Mr. McKay was minister of Victoria's Emmanuel Baptist Church for eight years.

He has been pastor of the First Baptist Church in Port Alberni for the past 5½ years.

Born in Glamis, Ont., he attended school in Glamis, in Woodstock College and at McMaster University.

Mr. McKay served overseas with the Canadian Army during the first World War and since then has held pastorates in many of the principal cities across Canada.

He is survived by his widow and a daughter at the family home Port Alberni. Also living are Bruce Vancouver, a daughter Mrs. Anne Hall Melville Sask and four grandchildren.

Services will be held in the First Baptist Church at Port Alberni. Burial will take place in Victoria.

IWA Wage Demands Likely Next Month

BY BILL MAYOR
Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER Wage and contract demands for the 22,000-member International Wood workers of America (CIO-CLC) are expected to be set next month.

The officers' report subject to confirmation, has recommended that the wages conference be held March 26 and 27. No definite commitments on wages is expected from the conference although some of the 160 resolutions pending suggest an across the board wage increase of 25 cents an hour.

Duncan's Local 1-80 has proposed a resolution asking a guaranteed annual wage, while other locals have suggested negotiations concerning holidays pay, piece work and other rates.

Vertical leaf has moved that the resolution authorize a job evaluation department to study wage inequalities in the lumber industry.

SAFETY DIRECTOR

The convention yesterday reconfirmed John T. Atkinson as union safety director and elected as officers Fred Fisher, Vancouver, James Milmoe Duncan, Joseph Sadlysh, New Westminster.

PIMPLES?

[illegible] Clear away unsightly pimples from your face.

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Elevators Silent Second Day

VANCOUVER (CP) — Giant grain terminals in Vancouver and New Westminster were silent Tuesday night as grain handlers maintained picket lines along the waterfront.

No move had been made to reopen negotiations as 750 longshoremen, who walked off the job a week ago, Tuesday, refused to return to work.

Both union leaders and operators remained silent. There was no word of federal labor board intervention to put the dead back.

An embargo halted shipment of millions of bushels of grain from Alberta as 12 ships stood idle and 15 more were bound for Vancouver to await cargoes for world markets.

About 90 per cent of export trade through Pacific ports is handled in Vancouver and New Westminster. Export grain can still be moved from a terminal in suburban North Vancouver and Prince Rupert but bulk heavy movement is possible.

Pacific Defense Discussed

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada is taking part in confidential talks on military matters in southeast Asia, External Affairs Minister Pearson said Tuesday.

In a guarded reply to the Commons by Progressive Conservative demands for participation in a Pacific pact, Mr. Pearson said he can give the House little information.

Referring to earlier questions by Howard Green (PC-Vancouver Quadra) he said no arrangements had been agreed on by Canada in join an organization for military collective arrangements for southeast Asia.

"Military talks are going on," he said.

"We have attended some of the meetings and some we have not," he said. "We have been informed about the meetings we have not attended."

Present Setup For Air Cargo Termed Slow

OTTAWA (CP) — Canadian Pacific Airlines argued Tuesday that current facilities for air cargo shipments in Canada are not fast enough the main advantage of air over surface shipment.

This argument was presented to the Air Transport Board, as the company launched an application for scheduled air cargo flights from Montreal and Toronto to Vancouver, serving The Pas, Men. and Edmonton in between. Trans-Canada Air Lines, opposing the application, now has exclusive rights on east west movement.

Ian Gray, CPA's director of maintenance and engineering, said air cargo service operated as a "minor adjunct" to passenger service causes delay. To ensure speed, specially designed aircraft were necessary for air cargo, he said.

Brazil, largest independent state of South America, covers 3,288,000 square miles.

News in Review

BY JOHN GREEN
(From AP, BUP, CP, Reuters)

Britain has asked substantial dollar aid from the World Bank to help finance development of resources in the colonies, and is also urging dollar help for development schemes in the independent sterling countries of the Commonwealth, according to London reports.

Twelve members of the Arab-Asian blc in the UN have decided to reject any request for troops or supplies for the Korean war, a dispatch from United Nations, N.Y., says. Some of them, it is understood, are doing so because of anything on it. Meanwhile in Washington, seven Arab countries have told the U.S. that "any more help of any sort" to Israel might endanger Middle East security.

Premier Mohammed Naguib in Cairo has warned the Sudanese people that any attempt by the Sudan to become a part of the British Commonwealth will jeopardize the Anglo-Egyptian agreement giving them the right of self-determination. In London, however, British officials insisted the Sudan may apply to enter the Commonwealth if it wishes.

From Copenhagen comes a report that Danish authorities are questioning hundreds of soldiers, seeking instigators of a plot to spread smallpox germs and hunger strikes protesting the increase in compulsory army service from 12 to 18 months.

The House of Commons in London has given final approval to a bill to denationalize Britain's trucking industry and decentralize the nationalized railroads. The vote was 296 to 257.

Prime Minister Jean Van Houtte announced in Brussels that young King Baudouin of Belgium, guilty of under fire for seeking Mediterranean sunshine during the flood crisis in his country, if. He gave no details of the illness. Later, the king's physician contradicted the statement.

Gerhart Eisler, former East German propaganda chief, has addressed a meeting in East Berlin to assert that he has not collaborated in the West, as a West Berlin paper had reported.

U.S. May Increase Help To French in Indo-China

WASHINGTON (AP) — The end the bloody seven year old United States may step up military aid, which could mean more military shipments to Indo-China as than $1 billion in yearly aid goes to French forces, it was learned here today. Some leaders are reported ready to listen sympathetically to French Premier Rene Mayer whom they expect to make such a request.

In advance of Mayer's visit, Eisenhower is reported to think cabinet level planners are reported to be studying ways to keep Indo-China out of Communist hands.

Behind this new look is President Eisenhower's belief, as reported by informed officials, that the outcome of the Indo-Chinese fighting is at least as important as Korea to the security of the free world.

Eisenhower is reported to think aid would eventually lead to the fall of Asia's "rice bowl" — Burma, Indonesia and Pakistan, serious threats to India and Pakistan.

Jacques Cartier brought some cattle to Canada his livestock was not permanently established until nearly a century later.

Trade Curbs Under Fire

OTTAWA (CP) — Sen. Wishart Robertson government leader in the Senate, has suggested formation of free trading area among North Atlantic Treaty nations as an economic weapon in the cold war.

Senator Robertson said Tuesday that without substantial improvement in multilateral trade the Western world is playing into the hands of Russia. The Russians were counting on trade conflicts to divide and weaken the Atlantic alliance he said.

Damaging Facts Known Before Start of Probe

OTTAWA (CP) — Defense Minister Claxton told a previous session of the damaging findings of the Currie report a month before he ordered the investigation, the Commons defence committee was informed Tuesday.

E. B. Armstrong, assistant deputy minister of national defence testified that the department was called another report on March, 1952, that the system of accounting in the army works services was not working properly, that "supervision is almost entirely lacking" and that both the quantity and quality of staff was inadequate.

The chief auditor, Arthur Kidd, had also said that "all possible has been or is being done to remedy the adverse conditions that exist."

It was a month later that Mr. Claxton asked George S. Currie, Montreal accountant, to make his own investigation of the works services. Mr. Armstrong said this decision arose from the fact that thefts had been discovered at Petawawa.

His testimony followed a fight concerning a Progressive Conservative motion for production of the full reports as was defeated on a vote 13 to 8, with all the Liberal members standing against members of the three parties in opposition.

The committee has been given a 43-page summary of the "substance" of those reports. The Conservative motion for production of the full reports was defeated on a vote 13 to 8, with all the Liberal members standing against members of the three parties in opposition.

Car Tycoon Favors Tariff Cuts

BY J. M. ROBERTS JR.
AP News Analyst

Henry Ford II has thrown his weight behind the move policy government to reduce United States tariff barriers and give Europe a chance to live through "trade not aid."

Ford says he isn't worried about the increasing flow of European automobiles into the U.S. market. "We intend to meet foreign competition in the U.S. market."

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3rd Contest starts March 1, ends midnight March 14, 1953.

1st Contest ended midnight February 14, 1953.

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Here's all you do. Go to your grocer's and buy a package of Kraft's delicious New Parkay Margarine. Two of the yellow soft flips and most of the "Parkay" with your suggested name for the Great Dane. Use the entire blank in that advertisement or get extra entry blanks from your grocer. Be sure to read all rules carefully before you mail your entries.

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(Your entry will receive the same consideration for Ford Prize if only one soft flip is enclosed. The only difference is you will not be eligible to receive a special $200 cash bonus prize.)

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3 Send in as many entries as you wish. Write each entry suggestion on a separate entry blank.

4 Write each entry on one the yellow soft flips from packages of New Parkay Margarine. To be eligible for the bonus, the yellow soft flips must be from packages of Parkay Margarine purchased and flips from two packages of Parkay. In no case required the bonus prize will be accepted. Every qualifying entry received will be judged.

5 Mail entries to Parkay Margarine Box 1841 Dept. "D" Toronto, Ontario.

6 Those will be three fortnightly contests. First contest closes February 14th 1953 second contest closes February 28th 1953 third contest closes March 14th 1953. Entries received before midnight February 14th will be judged in the first contest. Those received after February 14th and before March 28th will be judged in the second contest. Entries for the final contest must be postmarked before midnight March 14th and must be received by March 21st. No entries will be accepted and no entries will be judged after March 21st. Winners will be notified immediately by mail and announced on the air. Prizes will be distributed promptly on our quality and will not be considered. You accept all decisions of judges as final.

7 Contest prizes winners will be notified by mail. No one person may win more than one prize in each of the three contests and more than one bonus prize in any of the contests. Contestants of Kraft Foods Limited, Parkay Margarine Limited, Westinghouse Electric Corporation and employees of Gordon Ross and Wade Hardware Limited are not eligible to enter the contest.

8 Prizes as listed elsewhere in this advertisement will be awarded in the contestants whose entire suggestions are considered most appropriate. Prizes will be awarded in the order in which the entries are received. To obtain prizes in case of tie-ups of the three contests All entries become the property of Kraft Foods Limited.

9 This contest is open to any person living in those provinces in Canada where the sale of margarine is permitted by provincial law. Residents of Quebec and Prince Edward Island are not eligible to enter the contest. Employees of Kraft Foods Limited and agents are not eligible to enter the contest.

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Where There's a Will...

BY deciding unanimously to proceed with the awarding of contract on the Gorge Central School site the Greater Victoria School Board has now taken the decisive step, up to the limit of its own authority. It is not likely that the minister of education will intervene in what is first a local issue. While this was the proper and it is becoming a pretty fast one—it does not dispose of the position of the four municipalities which must now find the money. Their representatives have made it plain that this will not be easy to do on top of sharply risen costs in the ordinary school budget.

As we pointed out, reconsideration and the examination of new conditions are always opportune and never out of place in the public interest. That simply was the request of the municipal boards who have to set the tax rates. To have such a request brushed aside in the particular fashion done will not smooth the path of the Greater Victoria School Board with city and district councils during the remainder of this year. Nor will it commend itself particularly to the taxpayers at December next. The better a case is the more readily it can be explained. It is only a weak argument which must be pushed on the spot.

We agree with the trustee who said that there is need for closer liaison between the administrative and taxing bodies, but the first overture from the latter has been turned down. When the various councils come to consider the current school budgets in course of preparation, from the standpoint of mills on the dollar in taxation, this circumstance may rankle. It is one thing to call the tune, and another to find the price. Far from being a local manifestation this condition is provincial wide. Sooner or later it must receive the attention of the Legislature and the government of the day.

There are many things the public would like put which are today beyond its reach. British Columbia has not been able to proceed with its $2,000,000 new provincial museum, although it is much needed. Victoria itself had its remodel its public library for $250,000, instead of spending $1,500,000 on a new one. Schools cannot be built regardless of cost, no matter what the urgency. It is always the right time to examine public expenditure, and where there's a will there is often a way to pare costs.

Sifting the Facts

AS a new member to the Legislature Dr. Giovando may be unfamiliar with the experience last session with the Point Lake project, but he is from the Nanaimo constituency and should have some understanding of the public doubts that have arisen over the proposed power commission dam. As Mr. Harold Winch enlightened him, it is still a moot point in many minds whether or not the right thing is being done as planned.

That is the reason for the government's appointment of a select legislative committee to review the situation before the die is cast beyond recovery. It is not yet clear that sufficient thought has been given by the power commission to an alternative site for the dam, or that all the factors involved have been weighed with equal concern. Strathcona Park is a trust for the future if not highly valuable for the present, and it should not be lightly spoiled if with foresight and care the interests of power and recreation can both be served. A one-sided solution of the problem is not necessarily the only answer.

Few will quarrel with the decision of the Legislature after due and proper inquiry is made into the pros and cons of the project. The inquiry review is being undertaken because the last Legislature was denied that chance when a one a.m. resolution was thrust on a tired House in the closing rush of the session, in direct denial of a solemn promise previously given. Not until now has the Legislature had real opportunity to decide on a matter that is peculiarly its own, the disposition of a public park in its trust. Even the present inquiry perforce will be somewhat hurried, but at least it will offer the assurance that the House has given more than perfunctory attention to a subject that has aroused considerable public interest and on which it is well that it should have the final word.

Mount Katmai Erupts

SILENT for 41 years, Mount Katmai, or a nearby neighbor, erupted last week with an impressive show. Smoke rose to 30,000 feet and ashes showered the neighboring valleys. The 7,250-foot crater is set in a desolate scene, so there was no loss of life or property. Interest in the event is heightened by the prediction of volcanologists that it would happen. They are still to have hit upon the right year, 1953, and Katmai obligingly has responded. There is some reason to suspect however that Katmai would have observed this brief, if profound, sigh whether scientists had been watching it or not. Nature, from the part of the earth to shift some internal pressure is operating around the world daily at some place.

Nevertheless, Katmai's slight respiration is of human interest. Probably no atomic bomb could produce an equivalent result so naturally and effortlessly. There were no tricks or treaties about it. Katmai was selected as the most logical for the test, and no doubt felt the better for it. Pressures which might have developed disastrously at some other point around the great Pacific bowl where there is habitation was given off harmlessly in the wilderness. Philosophically, at least, it would be nice if human pressures could be vented as peacefully and with as little damage. The trouble with humanity, however, is that it bottles up its steam, ties down its valve and then wonders at the inevitable explosion which one day eventuates.

Volcanologists will make a pinpoint on their charts at the spot represented by Mount Katmai. There will be no more trouble, to say that the eruption, having come there, will not now be vented at some other equivalent place. There is welcome news in this, because the British Columbia Coast and Vancouver Island are in the same general littoral region, and pretty safe to predict that, say the Legislative Buildings—as distinguished from their contents—will not now erupt at the crest of some new and hitherto unsuspected volcano. Some of the Gulf Islands are, in part, extinct volcanoes. Katmai's sigh may have relieved pressure on them, for B.C. has dozens of 41 centuries. In that time anything could happen, even to the extinction of volcanoes.

Readers' Forum

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine interest are welcome if they are brief, courteous and fair. Preference will be given to those signed with full name and address. Address letters to the editor, Readers' Forum, Daily Colonist.

LOCAL OPTION

Sir, At the last election I voted yes on the liquor question. Now it seems that everyone has taken that to mean that I want more liquor, whereas I want a change. At a recent plebiscite the city of Victoria voted dry. Why can't we have a provincial plebiscite on that nature, then the communists that want liquor could have it, and those that don't wouldn't need to be plagued with it.

ERNEST S. JOLLY.

2708 Dunlevy Street, Victoria, B.C.

WEDNESDAY CLOSING

Sir,—In all the recent controversy over whether shops shall remain open on Wednesday afternoons, or shall close as at present, the main and most important principle involved in this issue has been entirely forgotten.

A group of shop owners are taking it upon themselves, for no other purpose than their own small gain, to take away from some nearly 6,000 retail clerks, the right and privilege which belongs alone to those clerks, namely, the right to enjoy together and with one another their weekly half-day holiday.

Many years ago, it was under the petition of the clerks of this city that they were granted a set half-day each week to allow them to be free with one another in common sport and relaxation. Go, to all the clerks for permission to change their holiday, but let it never pass that we the public should take away a privilege from others that is not rightfully ours to take.

It has been stated that a group representing 66% of all grocers are urging that the Wednesday half-day holiday be abolished. Ask this group how many clerks they hire and I believe you will find that these stores are in the main self-operated and employ few clerks if any.

I has been stated the Retail Clerks Union supports a move to abolish the half day holiday as it now stands. Here again we should ask and be told just how many retail clerks this union represents, and at what wage.

What then shall we say for the remaining thousands of our retail clerks who have no group to speak for them.

HAROLD GRAY

325 Cook Street, Victoria, B.C.

WEDNESDAY CLOSING

Sir, With regard to the early closing aspect of a day's operations, this is one aspect of the matter which has been consistently overlooked by the public.

That aspect is the right of retail clerks to take part, if they wish to, in group activities, such as golf, football, basketball or any other game they may favor.

If the employees days off are to be staggered, which, we think, obviously it will be impossible to keep such team games going as some of the various teams will be able to field a full side.

As a member of the Retail Clerks Union of Victoria, I should, certainly, like to see a five-day week, but not unless all clerks affected can have the same day off.

It took our fathers a long time to win this right, and some of us don't want to lose it.

As for the tourist (dollar) worship which is so evident in this city, Vancouver stores are closed on Wednesday and I have not heard of any of them going bankrupt.

H. A NAPPER

2604 Chambers Street, Victoria, B.C.

The British Scene... By Giles

Egad, a TUC leader knighted? Then we shall have knights among the rank and file, forsooth. - London Daily Express

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

IN an article in Saturday Night on 21 Jan. Arthur Meighen, whom he describes as "minimed in the treasury of Canadian Parliaments," Max Freedman of the Winnipeg Free Press quotes Woodrow Wilson on the subject thus:

"Tolerance is an admirable intelligent quality, but it of little worth in politics, politics is a war of cause in this grand contestation of warring principles, doubts is a laggard and an impostor."

The quotation in Mr. Meighen's case has reference to his hard but fair fighting in parliamentary debate. A dash of kindness would have helped, but that is a strain that can be pushed too far, says Mr. Freedman.

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Myself I think tolerance stems from the heart, not the intellect, which can be very cold-hearted indeed, especially when roused in my remark I noted in Pastor Hillis' column on Sunday. For instance, that a school teacher wrote to him about the "arrest campaign" she says this newspaper is carrying on about education. A nasty word, arrest. I am surprised that a school teacher, presumed to be precise in language, would use it. For its use in this context is a smear on the young man writing the articles in question. Teachers tired by what they have read so far should hold their horses; their side of the picture will be presented too.

This involves a little patience, perhaps and intolerance and impatience often go hand in hand.

Harking back to Woodrow Wilson, he said further that "government is too serious a matter to admit of meaningless courtesies." President Wilson had the academic mind, so perhaps his intellect ruled his heart. It would be a pity if even in politics a tolerant attitude was regarded as nothing more than a meaningless courtesy.

It is true that the person is blessed, in a sense, who is untroubled by this quirk in his make-up; he who sees only one road at least goes right ahead, undisturbed by fear he may be wrong and offended at those who he hurts on the journey. And as we know he who lacks talent is thought to be lucky. It is good, seemingly, to be gentle.

* * *

I myself have been accused of being too tolerant in this daily space of mine, of not blowing my top often enough, as it were. At the moment some school teachers may not quite agree with this statement, however, and this is the last reference I shall make to the school question. What troubles me however, is a feeling that I am not the last word in wisdom, which admittedly is a confession no self-respecting person should make nowadays and but a very happy feeling anyway.

One day last summer I stood rather high in the house gallery of the Commons to hear Mr. Maurice Hunter, whose sprightly verse frequently enriches the advertising columns of this newspaper. He went so far as to elevate my tolerance into humility, which, we admitted, he my lower bracket and I almost swallowed a full quart of salt water. I felt so humiliated over this mishap that of course I proved him wrong forthwith by you will not find newspaper in Mr. Hunter's happy rhymes.

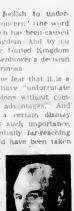
There may be no room for tolerance in politics, as President Wilson said although I fancy that many of the harsh things said in parliamentary debate go no further than skin deep but, of a truth there is plenty of room for it elsewhere. Man's whole struggle has been in the heart he heard above the intellect, once in a while anyway.

International Commentary... A Tactical Disagreement

BY W. N. EWER, From London

IT WOULD be foolish to underestimate the "concern" in the world by Eden's decision to have recognized in the United Kingdom and by no means only in the United Kingdom—by President Eisenhower's decision to denuntiate Formosa.

There is first the fear that it is a step which may have "unfortunate political repercussions without compensating military advantages." And second, there is a certain dismay that an action of such importance, and of such potentially far-reaching implications should have been taken without consultation with either the British or any other government.



It is, of course recognized that the original orders to the Seventh Fleet in 1950 were a unilateral action by the United States and that although the order was for the United States alone. The doubt that is felt is not about the propriety of the decision but about its wisdom and about its effects on the situation in the Far East as a whole.

But, equally, it would be foolish to overestimate the significance of the importance of the divergence of views between London and Washington which has come again to the apparent in connection with Formosa. The divergence is a real one. But it is a disagreement on tactics, not on principle or objectives.

The passages in President Eisenhower's message which deal with the principle and the broad lines of international policy that the present situation could be endorsed much as they stand by either the government or the average Britain in this country or, for that matter in any other country of the free world. There is little or no dispute about the objectives of policy.

There is no doubt that the President

Desire for Election Criticized

Premier W. A. C. Bennett has election this year will clarify no right to seek an immediate election on the issue that he wants a working majority in the legislature, according to Arthur Turner (CCF-Vancouver East).

The premier now has a working majority in the House for a program of good legislation, Mr Turner declared yesterday.

Every party in the House has offered its cooperation in the passage of good legislation, he said. But a lot of shoddy make-be laws.

Mr. Turner said the situation will clarify matters.

Mr. Turner said Social Credit party machinery of trying to manipulate constituents in every riding and hypnotize MLA's.

Premier Bennett objected that the government recognizes MLA's regardless of party and excludes representatives from all sides.

Demands of the civil service for arbitration rights should not be delayed by the government for six months, stated Mr. Turner.

If the demands are put off, personal may have another excuse for stalling he warned.

"The majority of the MLA's want good legislation for the people," he said. "It's unfortunate that the premier wants an election."

AD GLABATER.

Mr. Turner said he is certain all fair-minded people are opposed to an election because there is no guarantee that an

Air Filled with Music, Ballroom with People

Two of Victoria's choral groups filled the air with music and the Vienna Ballroom with people at a recital last night.

More than 250 persons heard the 64-voice WCC Glee Club under Mrs. Mary Wood and the 13-voice Mountaineers under Dudley Wickett.

Included in the program gave assisted by the Glee Club were "My Heart Ever Faithful," "The Song of Shadows," "Ye Banks and Braes" and "Gay is the Rose."

The club singers were accompanied by Malcolm Hamilton and Ann van der Voort.

Presentations by the Mountaineers included "Prayer of Thanksgiving," "Now Let Every Tongue Adore Thee," "Deep River," "Roll Chariot," "Follow the Drum in Calais," and "The Pilgrim's Song."

They were accompanied by Marjorie Anderson.

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District Sells Lot to Scouts

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The girls' association had applied to council for this, but it suggested, either to be given outright or purchased at a nominal price.

District eliminated as from March 1 all monthly overcharges in favor of a flat-rate minimum money readings to be taken daily by department heads.

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Bus Crash Toll More Than 40

MANILA (Reuters) — More than 40 persons were killed to death and 18 injured when a bus crashed into a river bed and burst into flames 100 miles north of here Sunday.

The bus, coming northward in the half-light just before sunrise, crashed through a bridge and went hurtling into the river.

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Fat Boy's Diet

Plump Persons Should Shun Danger Foods

Today's installment of the serialization of the best-selling "Fat Boy's Book" tells of the danger foods" for fatties.

BY ELMER WHEELER

Chapter 15

Every day I learned something new about myself and what went into me.

I learned never were "danger foods" for fatties.

Take that dish of hotel butter sitting there in front of you. Some time ago, some waiter taken it from your order and goes away for a new bug visit with the chef. A cube of butter is sitting in the kitchen. Soon that dish comes another. Each contains 25 calories at least.

I soon learned hard butter is more fattening because it takes more to cover a slab of bread. So I used softer butter, a little spread as much lasier and farther.

In dieting I didn't really drop an single food.

I merely varied them, but I kept enough changes Food apart, like you keep two scraps friends apart in the same party.

I would go to mama French for a rich bread and butter and spaghetti and apple pie and a Tom Collins.

I'd take any one in stride but I'd never take bread and butter, a Tom Collins, spaghetti, all from the glacier. I kept them separated.

I found out one thing that helps in reducing which is to make dramatic comparisons in drive. Take a calorie point.

For example:

When I knew that one slice of bread and butter has more calories than a fillet, Five French fries equal one small Idaho baked potato, or a glass of bonded bourbon or rye.

A glass of milk is the same as two Scotch and sodas, almost a bottle of beer.

Orange ice, if strictly sweet food, can have more calories than vanilla ice cream.

Coffee with cream and sugar has more calories than a blend of bourbon or rye the same as bonded bourbon.

Asparagus and celery have about the same low number of calories per stick, first order.

Two pieces of fried chicken are the same as a whole roast chicken.

You can eat two goulash suppers or oysters (not fried) and one gets any more calories than from one cracker or one French fry.

Black olives have less calories than green, since when they ripen some of the oil leaves them.

It is hard to gain weight on any vegetable, many dietitians say it is impossible. You can't feed enough.

A double-decker sandwich is often more fattening than an entire 40c blue plate luncheon including the gelatin dessert.

A candy bar with nuts has many calories as two boiling potatoes or a small bottle of beer.

A cube orange juice is the same as a bottle of beer, two bonded bourbons or a small fillet.

You can drink nearly 12 cups of consommé if you can possibly and equal in calories just one martini or two bowl of cream of tomato, or only a cup and a half of split pea soup.

Vegetables give the body the minerals needed in dieting and fruits have sugar and an "eat" needed to keep us going.

Often a touch of something saves I said a "lunch" helps. Food is a metal property.

It slows up digestion makes you feel full longer.

The more I learned the faster I went down. But I found out the faster I went the more and weight I was the faster I went down at first, when the excess was going off.

But at 186 it is plenty hard to get rid of those other fool pounds.

These are the ones you fight for—if you're in the prefect men I was in, with 186 as your goal.

Because by then you're naked of fat. Drained of excess H2O you really have to hunt around to find just five more pounds of fat to take off.

But like I always said, I'll make it. Mr. I'll make it.

No Cecil, smoke from cigars, pipes or cigarettes has no calories.

In fact, I hear tell smoke often stimulates your metabolism thus burning up a calorie or two.

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Tomorrow: Cold showers shed more weight than hot showers.)

Amusements
ON THE SCREEN
Atlas "Rubber Tree" plus "The Girl On the Bridge"
Capitol "Montana Belle" plus "Brave Man, No Lover"
Dominion "My Cousin Rachel" Feature at 1:06, 3:00, 5:13, 7:17, 9:26
Fox "The Unknown Man" plus "Young Man With Ideas"
Oak Bay "The Moon and Sixpence" Complete program 6:10 8:30
Odeon "It Grows On Trees" plus "Tom Brown's School Days"
Plaza "Flat Top" plus "Battle Zone"
Royal "The Lusty Men" feature at 1:19 4:21 6:48 9:20
ON THE STAGE
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Clear Outline of Socred Policy On Addicts, Alcoholics Urged

E. E. Winch (CCF, Burnaby) urged the government in the Legislature yesterday to make a clear outline as its policy for the rehabilitation of drug addicts and alcoholics.

The present system which treats the addict and the alcoholic as criminals, he said, has proven unsuccessful. He said it and has been discarded by the governments of some other countries.

In the United Kingdom, where great strides have been made in the overcoming drug addiction, the problem has been treated as a medical rather than a criminal problem, he said.

Mr. Winch said there are 1,500 drug addicts in Canada and most of these are in B.C.

There are 30,000 chronic alcoholics in this province, he said.

TRAFFIC IN JAILS

Mr. Winch said there is a drug traffic in the jails of the province today and the jails are producing addicts.

The Attorney-general can solve this problem, he said, he or he will be fully qualified to hold his cabinet portfolio.

The Burnaby member recommended recommendations of a committee on drug addiction which called for legal sale of drugs at cost and registration of addicts as she-bind, instead of stopping illegal sale of drugs by the underworld.

He suggested the government utilize the services of a Courtenay safe court worker, Lyle Barrie, as a first step in a rehabilitation program for alcoholics. He said the safe court worker has already had success in rehabilitating alcoholics and is willing to treat them for the government at the same rate the government pays to keep zones in Oakalla.

SLOGAN REPETITIVE

Mr. Winch pointed other objections members in criticism of the Social Credit government.

The socred slogan "efficiency with economy" is repetitive where one word covers the other one and.

But I suppose they think it sounds more impressive" he added.

Mr. Winch said the present government had shown a greater degree of dictatorship than he'd seen in his 20 years of experience in the House.

Ban Lifting To Decrease Beef Prices

VANCOUVER (CP) — Beef prices are expected to drop two to three cents a pound when the U.S. embargo on Canadian cattle is lifted March 1, dealers reported here Tuesday.

Pork prices however, are expected to rise in line with higher prices in the U.S.

Films Set At Museum For Children

"The World and Its Living Things" will be the theme of a series of film lectures for school children given by the Provincial Museum department of education, beginning Saturday.

Each program will be presented at 9:30 a.m. and again at 11 p.m. Free tickets are being distributed in schools, and children showing tickets of admission on buses will be allowed by the B.C.E.R. to use school bus tickets.

The children's program will continue until March 28. An adult series of films will be offered in the general public on Sundays afternoons in the museum beginning at 2:30 p.m. this Sunday.

Blast Cause Eludes Police

Cause of the blast which shook the Burnside area of Saanich shortly after 11:00 p.m. Saturday was still undetermined last night.

Saanich police reported last night that Detective Joseph H Armstrong had poured practically every possible solution without success.

They announced that they are still working on several different theories but are slowly getting away from the dynamite idea.

Trip Delayed By Weather

Unfavorable weather conditions last Sunday caused a postponed trip by members of the Navy League of Canada, Victoria branch, to Discovery Island to look over some property which has been offered for a sea cadet camp.

Capt. Ernest Beaumont who owns most of the island, off Oak Bay, has reportedly offered more than eight acres of his property for use by sea cadets of this area.

A group of Navy League executive members, headed by president Forrest L. Shaw, will inspect the property in question next Sunday afternoon, weather permitting.

The world's largest oilfield in Kuwait on the Persian Gulf are expected to produce 1,000,000 barrels daily.

The lighthouse at Cape Race southeasterly tip of Newfoundland is 70 feet high and 19 feet in diameter.

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Park Number In Saanich Cut by One

The number of parks in the Saanich Recreation Council was cut up 11 late night when Oak Street Park announced it was disappointing because of lack of interest.

It was moved that the books and money be held by the council until someone else would be willing to take over the task of operating the park.

Reports from the various parks were heard last night and most announced they are still in the planning stages but are proceeding favorably.

One park committee was anxious over the operating moneys for the coming season. Treasurer K. C. Head reported that the committee was given by the Saanich park board in the near future and the subject would be brought up then. He added that all parks would be asked to give a statement of their requirements.

JAKARTA Indonesia (CP)—Floods in Achreen North Sumatra province killed between 70 and 80 persons and caused damage estimated at $5,000,000 the government announced Monday. The floods were caused by heavy rains extending with high tides.

Had Premier Bennett been successful in his bid for leadership and the Conservative Party or a seat in the Ottawa House, what would now be his attitude to Social Credit, he wondered.

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BEWARE, MY LOVELY

BLONDIE
OKAY — IT'S TIME TO GET SHADY UP
NO NO
PLUNK
DAGWOOD WHAT ARE YOU AS WRONG? WORKING?
SHANE
A FEW QUIPS, SIMPLE QUESTIONS IN THE VILLAGE SHOULD TELL WHERE PETER WINKEET IS
BY THE WAY — I MEAN IF YOU CAN HELP ME — I'M TRYING TO TRACE AN OLD FRIEND OF MINE — MR. WALTER WALDEN
MARY WORTH
DAVE! TAKE AHEADLINE! SUPERMARKET CONVERTS PALOMA FOR ANGELS!
JUST MET A NEW MAN! HE'S NOT WANT TO RING BELLS AND WHITE SCHOOTERS
AS YOU HAVE TO DO A BIT IN OUR CLASS AND YOU TEACHES IT TO US!
LIL ABNER
HAS JEST ACHIN' WITH NOSINESS ABOUT THIS BITCHER MARRIED FROM SCHOOL! — ANYTHIN' MAN KIND OF TIT WILL VISIT HER
ALL AN' AN' I'LL TWINY OF THEM FOR THEIR BRIDE AN' FOOD A CAN'S SECRETS! — TWINY AN' — UNTIL MAN KIND OF TIT WILL VISIT HER
TWINY! TWINY! DOES SOUND MEANING! — TWINY! — TWINY! — TWINY!
TWINY! HAN HAS DOES SOUND TWINY!
WHO THE HECK IS THIS? — I'M DOING WORD TO CALL A HOUR!?
POGO
YOU AN ME IS THROUGH! THE NEXT MILLION DOLLAR IDEA I GET I'LL KEEP FOR MYSELF!
AN' THE NEXT BILLION DOLLAR IDEA I'LL KEEP FOR MYSELF!
I'LL KEEP THE NEXT TRILLION DOLLAR IDEA I'LL KEEP FOR MYSELF!
THE NEXT QUADRILLION DOLLAR IDEA I'LL KEEP FOR MYSELF!
WHAT COMES AFTER A QUADRILLION DOLLARS?
IF THEY HEARD YOU GOT THE QUADRILLION DOLLARS THEY'D GUARANTEE YOU A MONTH!
ISN'T THAT SOME KIND OF WHO THE HECK IS YOU?
WITH BIG FIGGERS LIKE THAT IT DOESN'T SEEM MATTER
YAH YAH YAH YAH YAH YAH YAH
RIP KIRBY
THERE DEGENERATE AGES! CAN'T SAY I BLAME HER TRADING SUEET FOR SUNSHINE AND FROST FROM FLOWERS! I WISH HONEY WERENT WITH THE MOBSTERS!
I'LL FOW HOURS LATER! HONEY DOESN'T CONCEITER THE FIRST STEP OF A STRANGE JOURNEY INTO A LAND OF SHADY DEALS!
OH IT'S SO EXCITING! THEY'RE GOING TO TRY THIS AND SEE IF HOT PARTURNE...
WE WON'T TARRY. MY CHILD DEAR WE MUST HOLD OUR LAUNCH TO REACH KEY PARDIS TONIGHT!
ARCHIE
BUT, ABY! THOSE THINGS COST LIVE CRAZY!
DON'T TOUCH ME! YOURE JUST A PENNY-PINCHING PIG!
THAT HIGH FALOOTIN VERONICA! SHE GETS MY GOAT!
WHY?
SHE'S GOT SO HAVE CHE OF THOSE FANCY ANGORA SWEATERS!
BUT WAY ARE YOU JEALOUS? A ANGORA?
YOU'RE HE CAVE HER MY ANGORA GOAT!
REX MORGAN
I CAN'T HELP IT, SHIRLA! MY HAND BECOMES TOOTLEBIG WHEN I CAN'T SEE YOU!
IT BECOMES TOOTLEBIG WHEN YOU CAN'T SEE YOU!
WHAT'S NOT TALE PAIR-IN I COULD NEVER TOOK A DROP OF ME COULD BE MARRIED AND LEAD A NORMAL LIFE TOGETHER!
IT'S WASHINGTON ON THE PHONE DR. MORTON WANTS ANTON OF THE GOOD AND NOW ISTANCE!
MUTT & JEFF
WE CALL OUR BOY JUNIOR! LET HIM FIND HIS OWN NAME WHEN HE GETS OLDER!
I HAD A MAGIC NAME! MAGIMAGUSE! SAY HA BEAR!
WE BRING OF NAMES WE HAD A FULL BARN WITHOUT HE WOULD GO RUNNER IN LOOKED LIKE A GORILLA AND HIS NAME WAS ETHELBERT!
WOO HOO! THAT'S FUNNY!
EVELYN! HA HA HO HO! AN' FUNNY!
OH, AUGUSTUS!
HA HA HA

Stock Quotations—Market Reports

Toronto Mines

Stocks	Sales	High	Low	Close
5000 Arnulf Qu	10	1.00	1.00	1.00
700 Akaitcho Yk	17	.13	.13	.13
10 Bear Ex	35	.60	.60	.60
500 Bevcon Lead	100	.06	.06	.06
1000 Bidgood Kir	20	.07	.07	.07
1000 Aunor	67	.36	.36	.36
1000 Aur Pow	30	21	21	21
500 Bob Lake	10	.07	.07	.07
1000 Ath Mines	10	.07	.07	.07
500 Ar Wendel	80	.07	.08	.07
1000 Ariadne	10	.03	.03	.03
1000 Ariz Ex	10	.03	.03	.03
200 Ashley	6	.70	.70	.70
1000 Bagamac	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Bankfield	10	.12	.12	.12
500 Beaver	11	.44	.44	.44
1000 Bevcon	10	.06	.06	.06
1000 Bluebird	10	.06	.06	.06
1000 Bonetal	10	.06	.06	.06
1000 Bonville	10	.06	.06	.06
1000 Bordulac	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Buffalo Ant	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Bulldog	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Bunker Hill	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Burlington	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Burnt Hill	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Buffalo Ref	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Cadillac	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Calder Bousq	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Calder Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Cartier	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Central Patr	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Chalmers	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Chibougamau	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Chimiskian	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Chromite	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Cobalt Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Coleman	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Coniagas	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Consolidated	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Copper Rand	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Cortez	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Crown Chart	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Crystal Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Cusheon Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Davidson	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Delnite	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Dome	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Duparquet	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Duvan	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Eldorado	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Elk Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Emerald	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Falconbridge	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Fatima	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Fawn Horn	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Federal	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Fortune	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Frontier	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Gillies Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Gordon Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Graham	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Granada	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Grandoro	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Granite	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Greyhound	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Grull	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Guay	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hallnor	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hasaga	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hasten	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hayes	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hedley	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hollinger	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hosco	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Howey	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Hudson	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Huronian	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Ingram	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Inspiration	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Jellicoe	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Jerome	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Jet	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Jobbing	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Joe Mitchell	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kayrand	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirk Addison	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirk Lake	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirk Lake Cons	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake Gold	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake Mines	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake Prod	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake Rich	10	.06	.06	.06
500 Kirkland Lake Tow

Badminton Favorites Win Easily

Seek City Badminton Titles

Keen competition in handicap events with several matchdowns being to three seas featured play in the city badminton championships at the Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club last night.

Seeded players advanced without upset in open play, with between eliminating Helen Dewar and Bill Dunbar, 11-18, 18-16, 15-7, in the feature mixed doubles match.

Mrs. Salmon teamed with Barbara Atkins to oust Dewar/Dunbar. Elmsley and Libby Beale, 15-8, 15-8, in women's open doubles while the Dewar/Dunbar team of Marion Kanto, and Joyce Macdonald easily disposed of Mrs. Dewar and Vee Cook, 15-3, 15-2.

Tonight's draw follows:

Men's open—R. Lewis vs. B. Dunbar; Ladies' open—Barbara Atkins vs. Joyce Macdonald; Mixed open—Mrs. Salmon and Bill Dunbar vs. Mrs. Dewar and Bill Dewar.

Men's open—R. Dewar vs. J. Wood; Ladies' open—Marion Kanto vs. Mrs. Dewar; Mixed open—Mrs. Dewar and R. Lewis vs. Mrs. Kanto and R. Macdonald.

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Five different clubs are represented by these entrants who are competing in championships now being contested at Victoria Lawn Tennis and Badminton Club. Left to right, they are: J. Clarke, Crofton Bay Badminton Club, Barbara Ford, Victoria Bay Badminton Club; Helen Dewar of the host club, Mrs. E. Cooley, Esquimalt Badminton Club, and J. Williams, Brentwood Badminton Club.

Bays Reach Tourney, Drop Game

Boosts Canucks

Oak Bay High School's senior boys' basketball team dropped a 66-57 decision to Royal Oak at Royal Oak yesterday, but still qualified to compete in the annual Vancouver Island senior high school basketball tournament at Alberni, February 27 to March 2.

Oak Bays lost the final game of the round robin series on its home floor, 47-27, and won the series, 2-1.

Bill Oldham, and Don Fish teamed up to pace Royal Oak to victory in the series with 23 and 16 points, respectively. Scoring honors, however went to Gary Corbett of Oak Bay, who sacked the ball for 30 points.

Oak Bay joins Victoria High Esquimalt, and the winner of a Mount Tolmie-Saanich Peninsula series as South Island representatives at the tournament. Other Alberni, Courtenay, Nanaimo and either Duncan or Lake Cowichan are the teams from north of the Malahat competing.

Oak Bay (57) — Lyons 2, Pearson 2, Corbett 30, Ferguson 3, McKenzie 2, Gardiner 2, Ferguson 2, Fish 16, Bell 2, Fleming 2, Fish 2, Ferguson 2, Fish 2, Ferguson 2, Fish 2, Ferguson

New Empire Games Regulations Allow Scot To Jump for Canada

MONTREAL (CP) — When Commonwealth each issue their British subject or a citizen of a the 1954 British Empire games even associations constituent part of the British in Vancouver roll around, one Commonwealth. Those who of the sixteen high jumpers in already competed in the the world will be eligible to British Empire and Common represent Canada.

He is Alan Paterson, native wealth games for one country of Scotland, competitor for may represent another at the Great Britain in the 1952 Empire celebrations of the game Olympic games at Helsinki. He with approval from the British lived and now is a resident of Empire and Commonwealth

GLAD TO COMPETE

Paterson first learned of this through the Canadian Press that he will be eligible to compete at Vancouver. "That's great," he said. "I'm really delighted."

He is worried now about a technicality that may bar him from his British citizenship. Association of the two countries concerned.

"If an eligible competitor wishes to represent a country other than that of his birth he must have resided therein for at least six months immediately prior to the closing date of individual entries for the British Empire and Commonwealth games," it stated.

Under the old regulation Paterson wouldn't be eligible. A resident of six years ago Phil Edwards, a native of British Guiana and living in Canada, competed for Canada in the Olympic Games. He started competing in the B.E. games for his native country in 1930 at Hamilton, Ont. and now is competing for one Empire country couldn't compete for another.

Changes in the regulations were tentatively set at the 1950 games in Auckland, New Zealand. They were later confirmed at London and then at Helsinki.

Jack Davison of Montreal, honorary secretary of Canada's B.E. Games Association, was assured by British officials they would approve a similar eligibility for Canada.

EUROPEAN CHAMP 1952

Paterson, who finished among the top performers at Helsinki but in 1952 he was the European championship with a jump of 6 feet 7½ inches. In the British Empire Games he jumped 6 feet 6 inches, placing second to John Winter of Australia whose mark was 6 feet 6 inches.

Less fortunate so far as eligibility is concerned, is Valdo Lillik, the wiry little Estonian long distance runner, who also lives in Montreal.

Although Lillikas lived in Britain for four years he has been in Canada only since mid-summer of 1951. Five years residence are necessary here before citizenship can be granted. Unless Lillikas' naturalization could be speeded up by some means, he won't be eligible to compete for Canada in 1954.

Lillikas holds the Canadian open record for 5,000 and 10,000 metres. He is also a top-notcher at six miles, one of the events in the Empire Games. The Canadian native record for six miles and 10,000 metres also was set in 1952 by Cliff Bricker of Gall Thomas. His time of 31.12 stands for both, allowable by the rules which so provide the record for the greater distance is the better time. The Canadian open record for six miles is 30.19.6, made at the Empire Games in Hamilton in 1952 by J. W. Sandion of New Zealand.

Racing Results, Entries

Fairgrounds

PLUM RACE
Jolly Roger (Lund) 10.20 10.40 6.60
Friend Pirate (Blake) 7.40 4.80
Ruby Tyson (Wright) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Acquit Race
Pentamatic (Brown) 40.60 23.40 6.60
Bench Tip (Pendergast) 12.60 5.80
Ruby Tyson (Wright) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Third Race
Ruby Tyson (Wright) 12.20 6.60 3.60
Dark Charger (Gaudet) 6.60 3.60
Dinagh Ann (Bilodeau) 12.60
Time 1:12.
Fourth Race
Fairgrounds (Gaudet) 4.20 3.60 2.60
Fairgrounds Venture (Gaudet) 4.20 3.60
Eighty (Blake) 4.20
Time 1:12.
Fifth Race
Mirasha C. (Wright) 12.60 10.40 6.40
Dinagh Ann (Bilodeau) 6.60 4.20
Dry Tax (Gaudet) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Sixth Race
Mary Sheen (Kurvin) 17.40 12.60 5.60
Ruby Tyson (Wright) 6.60 4.20
Eighty (Blake) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Seventh Race
Friend Aquatic (Gaudet) 10.60 6.60 4.20
Eighty (Blake) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Eighth Race
Vandenbelt (Gaudet) 6.60 4.20 3.60
Ruby Tyson (Wright) 4.20 3.60
Friend Pirate (Blake) 3.60
Time 1:12.
Ninth Race
Bow B. (Bilodeau) 6.60 4.20 3.60
Fairgrounds (Gaudet) 4.20 3.60
Time 1:12.
Tenth Race
Jolly Roger (Lund) 10.20 6.60 4.20
Friend Pirate (Blake) 4.20 3.60
Eighty (Blake) 3.60
Time 1:12.
OVERNIGHT ENTRIES
FIRST RACE
Bar Sinister 118
Mr. Dooley 118
Ruby Tyson 118
Friend Pirate 118
Pentamatic 118
Jolly Roger 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Dinagh Ann 118
Dry Tax 118
Mary Sheen 118
SECOND RACE
Mirasha C. 118
Mirasmatic 118
Dinagh Ann 118
Fairgrounds 118
Fairgrounds Venture 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Friend Aquatic 118
Vandenbelt 118
Friend Pirate 118
Time 1:12 3-5
THIRD RACE
Bow B. (Bilodeau) 118
Fairgrounds (Gaudet) 118
Dinagh Ann (Bilodeau) 118
Dry Tax 118
Dark Charger 118
Ruby Tyson 118
Time 1:12 3-5
FOURTH RACE
Bow B. 118
Fairgrounds 118
Friend Pirate 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
FIFTH RACE
Mirasha C. 118
Ruby Tyson 118
Dry Tax 118
Mary Sheen 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
SIXTH RACE
Friend Aquatic 118
Ruby Tyson 118
Friend Pirate 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
SEVENTH RACE
Vandenbelt 118
Ruby Tyson 118
Friend Pirate 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
EIGHTH RACE
Bow B. 118
Fairgrounds 118
Friend Pirate 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
NINTH RACE
Jolly Roger 118
Mirasha C. 118
Dinagh Ann 118
Dry Tax 118
Mary Sheen 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Time 1:12 3-5
TENTH RACE
Jolly Roger 118
Friend Pirate 118
Eighty (Blake) 118
Dry Tax 118
Mary Sheen 118
Cardinal Lady 118

Santa Anita

First Race
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 9.40 7.20
Daily Record (Arcaro) 3.60
Time 1:26 3-5
Second Race
Regardless (Pierce) 10.40 6.20 4.20
Daily Record (Arcaro) 5.60 3.60
Time 1:26 3-5
Third Race
Regardless (Pierce) 8.60 4.20 3.60
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 4.20 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Fourth Race
Modern Lady (Pierce) 10.40 6.20 4.20
Regardless (Pierce) 4.20 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Fifth Race
Wee Gage (Pierce) 10.40 6.20 4.20
Regardless (Pierce) 4.20 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Sixth Race
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 17.40 8.20 5.20
Wee Gage (Pierce) 6.20 4.20
Regardless (Pierce) 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Seventh Race
Regardless (Pierce) 6.20 4.20 3.60
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 4.20 3.60
Eighth Race
Wee Gage (Pierce) 10.40 6.20 3.60
Modern Lady (Pierce) 4.20 3.60
Regardless (Pierce) 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Ninth Race
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 6.20 4.20 3.60
Wee Gage (Pierce) 4.20 3.60
Regardless (Pierce) 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
Tenth Race
Lucibawa (Gillespie) 6.20 4.20 3.60
Wee Gage (Pierce) 4.20 3.60
Regardless (Pierce) 3.60
Time 1:12 3-5
OVERNIGHT ENTRIES
First Race
Bet Magic 118
Lucibawa 118
Mr Little Bow 118
Daily Record 118
Wee Gage 118
Steady Jim 118
Lady Dixie 118
Daily Record 118
Bhetha 118
Second Race
Mon Nimrah 118
Modern Lady 118
Pagan 118
Third Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Lucibawa 118
Wee Gage 118
Fourth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Fifth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Sixth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Seventh Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Eighth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Ninth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Tenth Race
Tiburon Boy 118
Wee Gage 118
Seven Fortunes 118
Bonnie Boots 118
Hard Shell 118
Wee Gage 118
Mr Dooley 118
Bhetha Blue 118
Bhetha Rhoda 118
Eighth Race
Bhetha 118
Ninth Race
Bhetha 118
Tenth Race
Bhetha 118
Wee Gage 118
Mr Dooley

EATON'S SPOTLIGHT SALES

Selling THURSDAY
Foundations
Women's Shoes
Girls' Dresses
Lingerie

Women's Corrective Shoes, Specially Purchased Featured in New Spring Styles!

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Step gaiety on these dresses in two styles . . . both of "Sanforized" cotton broadcloths that wash up easily. Pink, blue, maize, mint green in the group. Sizes 4 to 6x. Choose from a jumper style or two-piece effect dress with button trim.
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This Nemo corset gives your figure the right support . . . sizes 36 to 46 . . . Thursday Spotlight Sale Price, each **5.79**

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Substandards of "Wahasap" pillow cases, made from strong bleached cotton with plain ends. Standard 42 inch size.
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Bleached Sheeting
Strong quality, suitable for single or three-quarter beds or pillow cases. About 72 inches wide. 36 yards makes one pair of sheets.
White Sale, yard **89c**

Bedspreads
Closely tufted cotton, rose pink type spreads in pastel shades with colourful floral designs. Single or double bed sizes.
White Sale, each **6.98**

Bleached Sheets
Substandards of "Wahasap" sheets suitable for twin or three-quarter beds. Hemstitched ends. Size about 72x100 before hemming.
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Strong linen tea towels in white with coloured striped borders. Size about 16x30 inches.
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Bed pillows in attractive floral tickings . . . purified chicken feather filling. Standard size.
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"Cannon" face cloths of absorbent cotton terry cloth. Plain pastel shades. Standard bedsize. Size about 12x12 inches.
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Strong quality bleached cotton sheets with plain hems. Size about 81x108 inches before hemming.
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Strong quality unbleached sheeting in mill ends of 1 to 5 yard lengths. About 36 inches wide.
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The Silver Chalice

BY THOMAS B. COSTAIN

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"If your claim could be established," went on Quintus speaking in a low tone "Linus, the base brother of my noble employer, would be the second heir to the family.

"But Quintus," cried Basil, finding such thought almost unbearable, "there can be no doubt of my rights in the matter."

"None whatever in my mind," said Quintus. "In the midst of his not insignificant grief my master, it happens that all the witnesses there are now dead. Lucius Sergius, the man Christopher and he was called Kester of Zanthus—has left Antioch and there seems some uncertainty as to his whereabouts. Some say he went to Jerusalem. He was over 50 when the ceremony took place. Can we be certain that he will live? He leaves us with one of the five and I consider it a great misfortune that the one should be Hiram of Sidon." He again ran a forefinger along the bridge of his nose. "Hiram of Sidon is a man of the most questionable character. I hear his financial standing at the moment is far from sound. It is entirely the mind of Linus to dispute your right, this have Hiram might prove a very unsatisfactory witness. He might be persuaded to have lapses of memory.

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The secretary seemed unwilling to acquaint this unworldly youth with the perils of his position. He paused a long time before asking anything more.

"You were sold to Ignatius," he declared finally. "If Ignatius conscience the magistrates who were not sold for adopting, than there, was the basis of the transactions? You were sold—I am a slave." Quintus looked steadily into the eyes of the new head of the family. In a month drawn into a tight, stretch and tense. "I am indeed around for you. Either you are master here, or slave. Think of this well. It would be a mistake to interfere with. It is not in take every step in property unwarranted."

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Angry, incredulous, pinched with bitterness of self-blame, Basil rose and left the court. Heads were turned curiously in the other direction as he strode out through the crowded room. No one looked up or nodded to him. The decision had left him an outcast, one to whom free men did not address.

Basil reached the street, where the sun blazed down on the white walls of the great buildings. "This is a world of cruelty and dishonesty," he said in himself, glaring lustily at the crowds which passed along the Colonnade. "I, who should have been the richest man in Antioch, am a slave. I own nothing and have no rights in life."

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Socred Group Elects Ramns

Sam Ramns was elected president of the BC Social Credit League of Metchosin in the Metchosin Parish Hall last night.

Union Seeks Exemption From Half-Day Closing

City council has been asked to seek legislation which would exempt the retail food industry from the weekly half-day closing act.

The request came from Local 212 of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America, which said a five-day, 48-hour week had been negotiated with employers but stores may still be forced to stay open six days a week.

The city has already passed a resolution asking the government to make the act permissive instead of mandatory.

Old Phaeton Reaches End of Road

End of the road for one of Victoria's memento of the rolling years is this English carriage—called a phaeton in beard and crinoline days—which stand in the yard of the old Savage home at 837 St. Charles Street. Carriage was used by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Savage, parents of Mrs. T. McKay, Empress Hotel. Fitted with solid rubber tires and candle-burning headlamps, the carriage rolled through the years when Mr. Savage was general manager for Canadian Collieries.

Waterfront Area Master Plan Called for by City Alderman

Diversion of some funds from "overdeveloped" parks to spend on Beacon Hill Park, new recreation development on $7,000 on Stadacona Park and Dallas Road was urged by Ald. $11,000 on the Royal Athletic Robert Macmillan in an address Park. The latter he termed "a yesterday.

Speaking to the Kiwanis Club at the regular Tuesday lunch Ald. Macmillan called for a master plan to prevent the waterfront area from Holland Point to Clover Point.

"Picture the holiday atmosphere," he said. "It would pay dividends to the city and to all of us."

He said $63,000 a year is subsidy we can ill afford to pay.

BURNS SLIGHTLY

"Is it not possible we could be erring slightly by spending too much on already overdeveloped parks?"

He assured the club he was not asking for establishment of a parks board. In an obvious reference to the controversy with the Greater Victoria School Board he said experience had shown a board of trustee boards can create.

"One word from the people that provide the money and they do exactly as they like," he said.

Victoria he continued, was dependent on the tourist dollar and the very location "prevented it from ever becoming a major industrial centre."

"Victoria must invest in beauty and invest where it shows."

SHOULD BE $50

Statistics from the publicity bureau show that 800,000 visitors to Victoria spend an average of $10 each, he said, but because of the long-staying tourists who never invest here, after the average should be more like $50.

At the same time, Alderman Macmillan said, the city must look to its garbage and sewage problems which were anomalous with the "city of flowers and gardens" label.

He said the garbage situation had improved but something had to be done soon about the Clover Point sewer outlet, built in 1930 to "prevent nuisance to people."

It must be extended and improved. The situation is bad now "It will become very much worse," he said.

"Imagine a beautiful fore shore decorated this way, we should all have our heads thoroughly examined."

Street Lighting Estimates Rise

AROUND TOWN

The city's street lighting committee began work yesterday on 1953 departmental estimates which were up $26,714 over last year.

Total for the provisional estimates, submitted by lighting engineering superintendent Kenneth Reid, was $1,530,226. Actual expenditure in 1952 was $1,03,511.

Mr Reid told the committee he had placed nothing in the budget which he did not consider essential.

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Members of the Christ Church Cathedral Choir and Bell Ringers were guests of the dean, wardens and the church committee at a dinner held recently at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Entertainment for the evening included a film, vocal solos by Mrs. C. Perrins, Mrs. G. Howes gave a reading and Miss L. Brand played piano selections.

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Sailing ship and steamship photographs, paintings and models are sought by Victoria's Thermopylae Club for a maritime exhibition to be held in a downtown store window. The display will be arranged around a scale model of the famous tea clipper Cutty Sark. In charge of receiving items for the display is F. C. Johnson, parser, 1863 Hollywood Crescent. G 3219

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The annual reunion of the 31st Edmonton Battalion will be held in the Canadian Legion, Britannia Branch Hall at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday. All former members are requested to attend.

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An innovation in the form of visiting singers will highlight the annual St. Davids Day banquet being arranged by the Victoria Cymrodorion (Welsh Society) to be held in the lower hall of the Crystal Garden at 6 p.m. February 28.

Entertainment supplied by Margaret Davies John Williams and Mrs. John Thomas, Vancouver, will be quartets duets and solos.

The main toast will be given by Padre J. E. Williams of Royal Roads

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Saanich council Monday night moved to rezone the area around Gorge Park from a residential area to a commercial area to allow construction of a super market on the corner of Albina and Gorge Road.

After hearing the pros and cons council announced it felt that the rezoning would be beneficial, not harmful.

Three protesting the move said that there was enough commercial business in the area at the present time.

Council was informed that the building should cost approximately $35,000 and would have a parking area for almost 60 cars.

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Frank Mitchell MLA and S. Shawnessy Mendes night view appeared in three other terms as members of Esquimalt now planning commission, Esquimalt council said

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Total loss of $7,535 was suffered as the result of 90 fires in Esquimalt last year, according to the fire department's annual report to council Monday night.

Heaviest work was at 58 grass fires and at 30 chimney fires. Loss on buildings was $6,215, while $1,018 damage was caused to contents. The department made 118 inspections, including 70 for apartments and rooming houses. Burners inspected numbered 19.

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More than 200 papers and magazines will be on display at a Catholic press exhibit sponsored by the Christophers Speakers at the Parish Hall, 730 View, Street Saturday and Sunday afternoons

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Mrs John McLellan addressing a meeting of the Dale Carnegie Club International Monday night told of her super teams at the Cowichan Lake Hotel fire last December

Mrs. McLellan was a guest at the hotel at the time of the fire and was able to give her listeners a good description of the events that took place during the night.

Chairman of the meeting was Miss Ivy Humberstone.

Cast Out Reds, IWA Men Urged

By Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER — The International Woodworkers of America (CIO-CCL) was urged Tuesday to stamp out members of the Labor Progressive Party who were infiltrating the union's ranks.

In the report of the executive to the annual IWA convention here, delegates were warned that during the past year the Labor-Progressive Party through various means attempted to fix their in our organization.

The executive report also described the election of Social Credit as a government of a "political debacle" and "viewed with alarm" lack of Thomas Speech mention concerning labor legislation.

The report did not comment on the institution of a part time Labor Relations Board and did not mention the "detailed investigation" taken by the previous board.

The official report, however, warned of a possible third world war "It is necessary to have our political and economic problems on a broad basis. The conditions developing in China be ing the support given Chiang Kai-shek, and statements made by President Eisenhower, we believe, can easily lead in a third world war."

In opening remarks to the annual convention here the president, J. Stewart Alsbury, told some 170 delegates that their good sense would see "that no self seeking individuals shall be allowed to use the convention to advance their own selfish ends."

ANTI-COMMUNISM

Mr Alsbury declared that the general union membership would be the final decisions of the past year.

It appears that some extremely unfortunate decisions were made in personal gain than union welfare. We have entered a time for a change. Mr. Alsbury declared, and it is necessary without the interest of the members to elect members for the interests of the IWA.

The president, in reviewing 1952 negotiations, recommended that this year's demands be confined to two or three major items More flexibility in the union contract, no strike" policy deadline all of which he suggested also.

"We must strengthen our union through adequate union security regulations and not permit it to be weakened by factional squabbling prompted by the greed of a few selfish and unprincipled individuals."

Mr Alsbury, from New Westminster Mills, has declared himself in favor of seeking re-election if he is nominated from the convention floor.

Hunting Death Leads to Trial In High Court

NANAIMO — Frederick Richard Street of Haney and Ernest Ernest Hunting appeared to trial by higher court after a hearing before Magistrate Lionel Stewart Polis on a hunting accident manslaughter charge

Hall was fined at $1,000. Grey Jon Wisner, QC, appeared for Street with Frank S. Cunliffe, QC acting for the Crown

Socreds Pictured As Poles Apart

The Social Credit government was pictured in the legislature yesterday as a new coalition of opposing ideologies in "an unholy marriage."

W. T. Straith (Lib., Victoria) told the House there are two parties on the Social Credit government which are "poles apart in their views on free enterprise and the monetary system.

At one pole, he said, are Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Finance Minister Finance Gordon Wismer, who he said, are "true Liberals" who do not subscribe to unorthodox Socred financial policies.

At the opposite pole are the real Socreds, typified by Health Minister Eric Martin, he said.

Mr. Martin, he said, charged that the "moderates" being ruled by "a family compact" within the cabinet itself. He said the compact started with the premier and Wismer.

SHOULD BE ALL

Mr. Straith said the government made an "empty political promise" when it said it would reduce car license fees by 10 per cent in 1953.

"If you're not going to make the reduction this year why don't you wait the next year to announce it?" he asked.

He said people now asking for the 10-per-cent reduction are being told to wait. Members in the minor whole branch that they will get it next year if you're good and vote for Social Credit.

NO MEDDLING

The former education minister expressed hope that the government did not plan to meddle with the curriculum in BC schools which, he said, is the best in Canada.

"Meddling can be muddling and we don't want any muddling with the affairs of the school children of this province," he said.

Government action, said Mr. Straith, has proved that no action is planned on requests of the civil service for better working conditions.

The old government planned the programme introduction of the five-day week for government workers, he said, but not even this, he said, is being offered by the Social Credit government.

Dollar sales of Building Products Limited in 1952 attained a new high for the tenth consecutive year. Income before taxes was $1,264,101 but after $1 million in corporation income tax, net income was $1,564,101, a decrease of $1,000 in earnings compared to $1,565,516, equivalent to $3.11 per share (p 191).

Wheel Chair on Way

Tale of Newsie, Bird Due for Happy Ending

The story of a crippled pigeon starving on a city street and of the injured newsie who, in befriending the bird, won the friendship of a Victoria man, will come to a happy ending any day now.

Tommy Ward news stands whose old wheel chair is a familiar sight to Victorians passing the Yates and Douglas corner has taken up one of the pigeons he feeds from dying of starvation.

The birds beak had unfortunately grown twisted until it was unable to pick up any food

Tommy assured the bird chair is will have to last me the rest of my life" I want to have one that I satisfactory in comfort.

The wheel chair was shipped from Vancouver Friday by Mr. Bell Irving, president of the Panama Canal

Long after the money was raised Tommy received his wheel chair he was still feeding the bird but did not have the new chair. He said he was not ordered until I have the one I want.

THURSDAY DOWN

He turned thumbs down on a number of machines which he came then were too long to be easily negotiated because the wheels were too small to allow the chair to stay upright on sidewalk gutters.

The birds will be the best when chair I will even have" he said "It will have to last me

Tommy, who is 50, has been in the newsstand business for many years and tried to feed it by hand for two weeks before he took it took a major surgical operation to save the pigeon

UNDER HIS WING

Tommy appealed to The Daily Colonist and inquiries Barney McKillop took the pigeon under his wing, nursed with it through surgery, had treated its beak to normal, and nursed it during convalescence

The pigeon needed a helping hand himself The Elks committee selected the funds offered by the public after the Colonist noted that Tommy's wheel chair was old and not maneuverable on city streets

The Elks Lodge placed $1,500 for a new, powered chair which Tommy ordered from England, in service on the west coast, month.

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8.30—Joint meeting, Victoria and Cowichan Gyro Clubs, Lower Ballroom, Crystal Garden.

Socred Group Elects Ramns

Sam Ramns was elected president of the B.C. Social Credit League of Mr(Ghosh in the Methodist Parish Hall last night.

Where . . .

Did Kick the bucket originate?

The answer is in today's classified section in large type, "Where on Earth?"

Union Seeks Exemption From Half-Day Closing

CITY council has been asked to seek legislation which would exempt the retail food industry from the weekly half-day closing act.

The request came from Local 212 of the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen of North America, which asked a five-day, 40-hour week had been negotiated with employers but could not be put into operation on Thursday, April 23, because of a Carlings prize exhibit sponsored by the Christopher Speakers at the Parish Hall, 740 View Street Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John McLellan, addressing a meeting of the Dale Carnegie Club International Monday night, told of her experiences at the Cowichan Lake Hotel fire last December.

Mrs. McLellan was a guest at the hotel at the time of the fire and was able to give her listeners a good description of the events that took place during the night.

Chairman of the meeting was Miss Ivy Humberstone.

Old Phaeton Reaches End of Road

End of the road for one of Victoria's mementos of the rolling years in the English carriage—called a phaeton in beard and crinoline days—which stands in the yard of the old Savage home at 837 St Charles Street. Carriage was used by Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Savage, parents of Mrs. T. McKay, Empress Hotel. Fitted with solid rubber tires and candle-burning headlamps, the carriage rolled through the years when Mr. Savage was general manager for Canadian Colleries.

Waterfront Area Master Plan Called for by City Alderman

Diversion of some funds from "overdeveloped" parks to new recreation development on Dallas Road was urged by Ald. Robert Marmillan in an address yesterday.

Speaking to the Kiwanis Club at the regular Tuesday luncheon, Alderman Marmillan called for a master plan to improve the waterfront area from Holland Point to Clover Point.

"Picture the holiday atmosphere," he said. "It would give dividends to the city and to all of us."

He said $63,000 a year is spent on Beacon Hill Park, $7,000 on Stadacona Park and $11,000 on the Royal Athletic Park. The latter he termed "a subsidy we run for the baseball clubs."

BEHIND SLIGHTLY

"Is it not possible we could be erring slightly by spending too much on already overdeveloped parks?"

He assured the club he was not asking for establishment of a parks board. In an obvious reference to the controversy with the Greater Victoria School Board he said recent expenditures for final decisions of the past year.

It appears that some executive members are more interested in personal gain than public welfare he declared. It is time for a change, Mr. Alderman declared, and it is up to the Greater Victoria School Board to set a better example.

"One word from the people that provide the money and they do exactly as they like," he said.

Victoria, he continued, was dependent on the tourist dollar and its very location "prevents it from ever becoming a major industrial centre."

"Victoria must invest in beauty and invest where it shows."

SHOULD BE $50

Statistics from the publicity bureau show that delegate visitors to Victoria spent an average of $10 each, he said, but because of the long-staying tourists who even invest here, the bought-in average should be more like $50.

Alderman Marmillan said, the city must look to its garbage and sewage problems which were anomalous with the "city of flowers and gardens" label.

He said the garbage situation had improved but something had to be done soon about the Clover Point sewer outlet, built in 1913 to accommodate 25,000 people.

It must be extended and improved. The situation is bad but "it will become very much worse," he said.

"Imagine a beautiful, fine shore-drive and this sewer should all have our heads thoroughly examined."

Street Lighting Estimates Rise

AROUND TOWN

The city's street lighting committee began work yesterday on 1953 departmental estimates which were up $26,714 over last year.

Total for the provisional estimates, submitted by lighting superintendent Kenneth Reid, was $130,226. Actual expenditure in 1952 was $103,511.

Mr. Reid told the committee he had placed nothing in the budget which he did not consider essential.

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Members of the Christ Church Cathedral Clinic and Bell Ringers were guests of the dean, wardens and the church committee at a dinner held recently at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel.

Entertainment for the evening involved a film, vocal duets by Mrs. C. Perrin, Mrs. G. Downs gave a reading and Miss L. Brand played piano selections.

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Sailing ship and steamship photographs, paintings and models are sought by Victoria's Thermopylae Club for a maritime exhibit to be placed in a downtown store window. The display will be arranged around a scale model of the famous old clipper Cutty Sark. In charge of receiving items for the display is F. C. Johnson, purser, 1863 Hollywood Crescent, G 3219.

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The annual reunion of the 51st Edmonton Battalion will be held in the Canadian Legion, Brittania Branch Hall at 7.30 p.m. on Saturday. All former members are requested to attend.

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An innovation in the form of visiting singers will highlight the annual St. David's Day banquet being arranged by the Victoria Cymmodorion (Welsh Society) to be held in the lower hall of the Crystal Garden at 6 p.m. February 28.

Entertainment supplied by Margaret Davies and Mrs. John Thomas Vancouver, will be quartets, duets and solos.

Welsh rare beam will be given by Padre J. E. Williams of Royal Roads.

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Saanich council Monday night moved to rezone the area around Gorge Park from a residential area to a commercial area to allow construction of a super market on the corner of Albina and Gorge Road.

After hearing the pros and cons council announced it felt that the rezoning would be beneficial, not harmful.

Those protesting the move said that there was enough commercial business in the area at the present time.

Council was informed that the building would cost approximately $35,000 and would have a parking area for almost 60 cars.

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Frank Mingroll, M.L.A. and S. Shawinigan Monday night were appointed to three year terms as members of Esquimalt Joint planning commission Esquimalt Council said.

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Total loss of $7,535 was suffered as the result of 80 fires in Esquimalt last year, according to the fire department's annual report to council Monday night.

Heaviest work was at 34 grass fires and at 29 chimney fires. Loss in buildings was $5,215, while $1,870 damage was caused to contents. The department made 118 inspections, including 70 for apartments and rooming-houses. Burners inspected totaled 118.

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More than 200 people attended the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy held last night.

Cast Out Reds, IWA Men Urged

By Colonist Staff Reporter

VANCOUVER.—The International Woodworkers of America (CIO-CCL) was urged Tuesday to stamp out members of the Labor Progressive Party who were infiltrating the union's ranks.

In the report of the executive to the annual IWA convention here, delegates were warned that, during the past year the "Labor Progressive Party through various means pushed to the force of a minority.

The executive report also described the election of Social Credit as government as a "political debacle" and "viewed with alarm" lack of "Throne Speech mention concerning labor legislation.

The report did not commend the institution of a part-time Labor Relations Board and did not approve the "political action" taken by the previous board.

The officers' report also warned of a possible third world war "It is necessary to maintain political and economic problems on a broad basis. The conditions developing in China by the support given Chiang Kai-shek, and statements made by President Eisenhower, we believe can really lead to a third world war."

In opening remarks to the 18th annual convention the president, Mr. Stewart Alsbury, told some 170 delegates that their good sense would avoid "that no self seeking individuals shall be permitted to use the convention to advance their own selfish ends.

Mr. Alsbury declared that the general union membership would approve the final decisions of the past year.

It appears that some executive members are more interested in personal gain than public welfare he declared. It is time for a change, Mr. Alsbury declared, and it is up to members to elect members for the interests of the IWA

The president, in reviewing 1952 negotiations, recommended that this year's demands be confined to two or three major items. More flexibility in the "no contract, no work" policy deadline of 48 hours, he suggested also

"We must strengthen our union through adequate union organization, regulations and no permit it to be weakened by factional squabbling prompted by the greed of a few selfish and unprincipled individuals," he said.

Mr Alsbury, from New Westminster Branch, declared himself in favor of seeking a direction If he is nominated from the convention floor

Hunting Death Leads to Trial In High Court

NANAIMO Frederick Richard Street of Haney and Ralph Edward Gustafson of Ladysmith Bay, stand accused in a trial by higher court after a hearing before Magistrate Lionel Devoux Potts on a hunting accident manslaughter charge.

Ball was fined at $1,000 Gordon Wisner, QC, appeared for Street with Frank S. Cunliffe, QC, acting for the Crown

Socreds Pictured As Poles Apart

The Social Credit government was pictured in the legislature yesterday as a new coalition of opposing ideologies in "an unnatural union."

W. T. Straith (Lib., Victoria) told the House there are two wings in the new Social Credit government which are "poles apart in their ideas, one more enterprise and the monetary system."

At one pole he said, are people who are "Liberal" with Finance Minister Einar Gunderson and Mr. Straith, and others who are "Liberal" who do not subscribe to unorthodox Socred financial ideas.

At the opposite pole are the real Socreds, typified by Health Minister Eric Martin, he said.

The Victoria member charged that the coalition was being ruled by "a family compact" within the cabinet itself. He said the compact started with the premier and Education Minister Tilly Rolston.

SIMILAR BELIEFS

They wanted others at their side with similar beliefs and, in the direction, they had required Attorney-General Robert Bonner and Finance Minister Einar Gunderson, he said.

Mr Straith said members of the government were falling down on their duties as MLA's by not participating in the Throne Speech debate

Mr. Straith said the government made an "empty political promise" when it said it would redistribute seats by 10 per cent in 1954.

"If you are not going to make the redistion this year why don't you wait till next year to announce it?" he asked.

He said people now asking for the 10-per-cent redistion are being told the government is in the motor vehicle branch that they will get it next year if you're good and vote for Social Credit.

NO MEDDLING

The former education minister expressed hope that the government did not plan to "meddle" with the curriculum of the schools which, he said, is the best in Canada.

"Meddling can be muddling and we don't want any muddling in the affairs of the school children of this province," he said.

Government action, said Mr. Straith, has proved that no action is planned on requests of the civil service for a 40-hour working week.

The old government planned the progressive introduction of the five-day week for government workers, he said, but not more than this much has been offered by the Social Credit administration.

Wheel Chair on Way

Tale of Newsie, Bird Due for Happy Ending

The story of a crippled pigeon missing on a city street and the crippled newsie who helped in befriending the bird, seen the ending of all the tale, will come to a happy ending any day now.

Tommy Waid, news vendor whose old wheel chair is a familiar sight on Victoria streets passing the Yates and Douglas corner last year saved one of his pigeons from dying of starvation

The bird's beak had unfortunately grown twisted until it was unable to pick up any food

Tommy created the bird-clinic in his school chair each day and tried to feed it by hand and force of other birds. But it took a major surgical operation to save the pigeon

THIS WEEK

Tommy appealed to The Daily Colonist and reporter Barney Brown for help in getting pigeon under his wing, winged with a through surgery that restored its beak to normal, and provided it during convalescence

The newsie needed a helping hand himself. The Elks committee collected the funds offered by the public after the Colonist noted that Tommy's wheel chair was old and not maneuverable on city streets.

The Elks Lodge raised $1,200 for a new, powered chair which Tommy ordered from England. Long after the money was raised Tommy received him but the deeds of kindness that he did not have the new chair, he said, "I am sure ordering until I have the one I want."

THUMBS DOWN

He turned thumbs down on a number of machines either because they were too long in be easily negotiated on the curb wheels were too small for city streets or too heavy for operation

Tommy will be the best school boy in his school year, he said. "It will have to last—no new high for the tenth consecutive year. Income before taxes was $3,561.101 but after $1,361.101 was left. Net income was $1,564,101, equivalent to $3.24 a share, as compared to $1,530,501, equivalent to $3.11 per share in 1951.

Successor to Maquinna Indicated in CPR Letter

A 20-passenger vessel equipped to carry perishable foods may be put in service on the old Maquinna run to serve ports of the west coast of Vancouver Island, according to a letter from the CPR received by a Kyuquot resident.

In reply to a complaint of J. T. Gibson, Kyuquot regarding service on the west coast, CPR authorities stated that the ship Vera C now on the run was hired on a temporary basis and is not equipped to carry passengers

The letter also reported that the CPR is investigating the availability of a ship for the run. Details are expected to be released by the CPR later this month.

Shopping With Sally

Hair Cosmetics A New Feature

Directions telling how to cut your hair and set it for five different styles are the latest addition to the home permanent put out by a well-known cosmetic house. Descriptions for setting the different coiffures include parting the hair, winding curls and combing. Cute curving from two to five inches are included in the offer.

Price of the home permanent is $2.50 and for refills is $2.

Another famous firm has put out a new line of colorings and conditioners for the hair. There are bottles about the size of those for a nail polish that contain metallic liquids for those gold and silver streaks so popular today. The gold and silver touches wash out with the next shampoo. Price per bottle is $2.

Priced at $1.75 is the hair conditioner that adds color in the same way a rinse would. The preparation is said to prevent aging brittleness and dry ends. There's a shampoo to lighten hair and another to give it a blue tone and both are priced at $1.50.

Sample Handbags

One department store has reductions of 20 per cent on a group of sample handbags in calf, morocco, silk and crepe. Among those displayed yesterday was a brown snakeskin and a blue calf, the latter with adjustable shoulder strap. Both are priced at $10.

In the Bargain Section

Bargain section of the same store will yield some fruits if you browse along the counters. A set of four mixing bowls of unbreakable glass in a milky white finish comes at just $1.65. The smaller sizes would be good for puddings or custards.

There's no need to pay a lot for a pure wool dress if you can't afford it. One of glass with four sections and measuring about nine inches across sells for just 49 cents.

The sum of $1.98 buys a basket for hot breads and rolls. With the basket is a cotton liner with divisions to match. Pink, Beige, red and green are the colors of the baskets and liners.

Valentine Tea Held At Nursing Home

Members of the Victoria knitwit, while servicemen were Nursing Home Auxiliary held a Valentine tea Saturday at the nursing home, Gorge Road, when guests were welcomed by Mrs. C. V. Warren, president of the auxiliary, Mrs. M. M. Seares, matron of the home, and Mrs. J. Gaylon.

Spring flowers, pussy willows and valentines decorated the main lounge, while the tea table was centred with a beautiful container of red tulips and white lary, distributed ice cream, chrysanthemums flanked with candy to the patients and guests.

Presiding were Ald Margaret were taken on a tour of the Christie, Mrs. Sidney Phillips, nursing home by Mrs. Austin M. Mrs. P. J. Woolley, Mrs. A. H. Curtis, Mrs. M. Brethour and Banks, and Miss Margaret MacMrs. C. Dodgshon.

members of the auxiliary.

Miss Maidie Carver, accompanied by Mrs. F. Wilmshurst, was soloist during the afternoon, as Conveyor was Mrs. S. Nay, assisted by Mrs. George Holt, Mrs. C. Aitken, who was in charge of tickets, reported proceeds of $45.

Earlier in the afternoon, the visiting committee of the auxiliaries distributed ice cream, candy to the patients and guests.

Winning Contract

By Howard Schenken and Richard L. Frey

Neither side vulnerable
South dealer
(Cover the West and South hands)

NORTH
♠ Q 8 3
♥ A Q 10 7 3
♦ K 9 6
♣ K 7 3

WEST
♠ 6 5 2
♥ 6
♦ Q 10 8 5
♣ J 9 6 2

EAST
♠ K 10
♥ K 9 4
♦ 3 2
♣ A 8

SOUTH
♠ A J 9 7 4
♥ J 8 4
♦ A
♣ Q 10 5 4

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1♣	Pass	1♥	Pass
1♠	Pass	2♠	Pass
3♠	Pass	4♠	All pass

Sam Stayman cites his East cards in this deal from the recent world championship team of four match as an occasion for an unusual suit preference signal. Although bidding was perhaps the major contribution to the 8-20-point margin by which the Schenken team defeated the Sweden, precise play was also important.

West opened the five of hearts. South could have made the hand without difficulty, even though he misgoverned the clubs. If he had diagnosed the opening lead as a singleton and played dummy's ace of hearts. However, he played small and East won with the king. Soon dropping the four. This left East in no doubt that West could ruff the next heart so he wanted to make a lead which would tell his partner what suit to return. The two of hearts—the lowest—would ask for clubs, the lower side suit, the nine of hearts would ask for the higher side suit, diamonds. So of course East should return which?

The answer is the nine! The bidding has proved South to hold five spades. He must have at least five clubs. Therefore he is either void of diamonds or more likely, he has the singleton ace. A diamond lead cannot help him, for he will be unable to reach dummy to take the spade finesse and will have to lose to East's ace of clubs and king of spades. But with a club return, South can make his contract. If he guesses correctly. Suppose West leads the jack of clubs (which would be a poor lead). North's king covers and after East takes the ace North's seven is an entry. South trumps the heart return with the nine of spades, gets to dummy with the seven of clubs and picks up East's spade king-ten. If West leads a low club instead of the jack, dummy's seven is played and again East is helpless to keep North off heart. But if West returns a diamond, not a club, dummy can be kept off lead (by perfect play) and the contract defeated.

(Released by Associated Newspapers)

BRONCHIAL COUGH
Are you kept awake by a never-ending bronchial cough? Is phlegm so tight you can't cough it up? Relief is assured when you use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Cough Syrup. Two pints of BALSAM combined are especially made to loosen phlegm, so it comes away easily and you get relief at once. Nothing is as relieving as Dr. Bell's. Don't delay! Get a full size, $1.25 at druggists. Sold everywhere.

Nanaimo Chapters Realize Large Amounts During Year

NANAIMO Officers were chosen and work reviewed by two prominent chapters of the IODE here.

Malaspina Chapter re-elected Mrs. T. E. Bennett regent, and the Raymond Collishaw Chapter chose Mrs. J. Newman.

Other officers of Malaspina are: Mrs. Alan Hall and Mrs. Vince Senini, vice regents; Mrs. J. K. T. Guest, secretary; Mrs. George Bellamy, treasurer, and Mrs. W. P. Worsell, assistant secretaries; Mrs. W. J. Thomson, standard bearer.

The Collishaw Chapter officers are Mrs. G. Hall, treasurer; Mrs. A. Pojo, secretary; Mrs. F. Cowie, standard bearer; Mrs. J. Harkwood, Echoes secretary; Mrs. A. Hudson, educational secretary; Mrs. A. MacDonald, services at home and abroad; Mrs. G. Hygh, welfare; and Mrs. H. Clecond, publicity.

Malaspina honored with attendance prizes Mrs. Bellamy, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. H. Bradshaw, Mrs. Thos. Brown, Mrs. Walter Fraser, Mrs. K. T. Guest, Mrs. T. Jackson, Mrs. J. Quinn, Mrs. J. Rowbottom, Mrs. S. Storrie, Mrs. Senini, Mrs. Thomson, Mrs. C. Turner, Mrs. Mieves D. May, H. Koreen, O. Colgers, H. Patterson.

Chapter raised $1,506 during the year and reported a variety of activities.

Councillors elected were Mrs. G. Taylor, Mrs. Chris Jacklin, Mrs. C. Turner, Mrs. Thos. Brown, Mrs. T. Jackson, Mrs. Pete Maffeo, Mrs. E. Cerenia, and Miss H. Patterson. Committee heads are Mrs. L. B. Cook, Mrs. B. Squire, Mrs. K. B. Wilson, Mrs. A. E. Hill, Mrs. Jacklin, Mrs. H. Bradshaw, Mrs. G. Taylor, Mrs. Alvin Brown, Mrs. Earle Wesswood, Mrs. Alan Hall and Miss Hilda Knox.

The Collishaw Chapter reported raising $1,270 and numerous aids, including the Queen Alexandra Solarium and Indian Hospital Attendance prizes went to Mrs. R. Rae, Mrs. G. Hygh, Mrs. N. Shepherd, Mrs. K. Booth and Miss Pat LeCren.

Members of the Collette Club, St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society held their annual dinner at the Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Attending were Mrs. S. Arnell, Mrs. M. Bowman, Mrs. E. Baker, Mrs. A. Duncan, Mrs. A. Gunniss, Mrs. R. Marrs, Mrs. C. Moyes, Mrs. M. Shepherd, Mrs. N. Smirl, Mrs. G. Strickland, Mrs. D. Hill, Miss L. Cooper, Miss G. MacKay and Miss L. Primrose.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle - - -

ACROSS
1 Tin-plate
5 Ensnare
10 Reversal
14 Ewe
15 Wicks
16 Tantalizing
17 Ceiling
18 Ancient Greek poet
19 Ingredient of gunpowder
20 Stamped
21 Ignorant
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NEW! NEW! NEW!

Upper story news! Star of your separates wardrobe is this blouse with the dramatic drape. Wear it with a simple skirt and you have a stunning costume! Perfect for faille, crepe, wool jersey. It's tailored or dressy depending on your fabric! Two sleeve lengths.

Pattern 9316 Misses' sizes 12, 14, 16, 18, 20. Size 16 takes 3¼ yards 35-inch fabric.

This easy-to-use pattern gives perfect fit. Complete, illustrated Sew Chart

Leaves by Plane For England

—SOCIAL AND PERSONAL—

Mrs. Royce S. Marshall, with her small son, Adrian and Barrie, who was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas F. Haight, 1296 Richards Street, left on the city Monday by plane en route to Horsham, England. Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Haight gave honor at a farewell party at their home in honor of Mrs. Marshall. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Robins, Mrs. Lillian Milton, Miss Grace Leighton and Mr. Gerry Bryson.

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The Liberal Women's Forum will hold a silver tea at the home of Mrs. A. H. Cox, 990 Joan Crescent, on Friday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. W. T. Straith, Mrs. F. T. Kenney, Mrs. D. J. Donaldson and Mrs. Archie Wills will preside at the tea table which will be covered with a white lace cloth and centred with a bowl of yellow and white spring flowers, flanked by yellow tapers in silver holders.

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Entertains School Friends

Miss Cheryl-Ann Watson was hostess at a Valentine party Saturday afternoon at her home of her grandparents, Major and Mrs. E. King, 2363 Dallas Street, when she entertained several school friends who were Misses Dianne King, Anne Lowe, Dale Meares, Madeline Cuppage, Jean Bell, Pamela Paver, Elizabeth Pember, Beatrice Flett, Pamela Haynes, Peggy Stein, Gloria Davidson, Laurie Bayden, Betty Buzzell and Barbara Butler.

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For Joy Hobbin

A shower was held Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. G. Upward, Rosemary Avenue, in honor bride-elect Miss Joy Hobbin. Gifts were presented in a decorative box in a Valentine motif. The guest of honor received a corsage of pink rosebuds, while her aunt, Mrs. Crozier Smith, and her future sister-in-law, Mrs. Ronald Upward, received corsages of red roses. Refreshments were served from a table decorated with a white lace cloth and heather. Guests included Mrs. J. Hingg, Mrs. C. Jones, Mrs. J. Keating, Mrs. W. Peddie, Mrs. Crozier Smith, Mrs. J. Tracy, Mrs. R. Upward, Mrs. H. Upward, Mrs. E. Warburton, Mrs. J. Wigkes and Miss Gillian Upward.

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Welcome New Members

Ladies' auxiliary to the Capital City Yacht Club held a membership tea recently at the home of Mrs. C. Watts, when six new members were welcomed by the president, Mrs. T. Dickinson. Mrs. N. Hill and Mrs. Dickinson presided at the tea table, which had a centrepiece of red and white snowdrops with red hearts.

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Party Before Dance

Miss Valerie Lloyd and Miss Anne Whittington entertained at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Whittington, Cadboro Bay Road, prior to the College coed dance on Friday evening at the Strand. There were about 80 guests.

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Entertains for Visitor

Mrs. Max Campbell, 1780 Fort Street, entertained on Friday evening in honor of Mrs. C. E. Jenkins, of Dundas, P.E.I., who guests were friends from Punnichy, Saskatchewan. Those present were Mrs. E. McKay, Mrs. N. Cashmore, Mrs. L. Gray, Mrs. James Swan, Miss Marion Lindeburgh and Mrs. M. Varcoe.

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Here From California

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Colyer have arrived from Wilmington, California, to spend two weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Colyer, Cadillac Avenue. They will attend the wedding of Mr. Colyer's sister, Miss Norma Colyer, and Mr. Melville Sillaye next Saturday.

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Wedding Guests

Among guests at the wedding of Miss Margaret O'Neil and Mr. John Merriman were the bride's brothers, Dr. T. J. O'Neil and Mr. Edward O'Neil, Kelowna; Mr. and Mrs. D. Sutherland, Kaloden; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kyle, Vancouver.

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Party for Bride-Elect

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Nicholls, Southgate Street, entertained recently in honor Miss Grace Kerkham, who is leaving February 26 for England, where she will be married. Deep pink exotics and an arrangement of spring flowers decorated the tea table at which Mrs. Ivan Mouat and Miss Norah Jameson presided. Guests were Mr. Frank Yeates, Miss Betty Grangwell, Mrs. H. W. Grangwell, Miss Louise Michaux, Mr. and Mrs. J. Michaux, Miss Minnie Beveridge, Mrs. Roger Kerkham, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nicholls, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gordon, Mr. Ivan Mouat, Capt. Harry Bilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Archer, Miss Elsie Harker, and Mrs. C. Fred Dawson.

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Mr. and Mrs. N. Kosaluck and Mr. W. R. McDoward came from Vancouver to attend the recent wedding of Miss Olga Kolinsky and Mr. Ronald J. Purcell.

Helen Grant Bride Of Glenn Bennett

Her grandmother's gold locket by her father, chose a French complemented the ensemble fashioned dressmaker suit in a soft worn by Helen Patricia Grant lord grey, with turquoise pillbox for her wedding in Christ Church Cathedral last week to Glenn Bennett, which took place on corsage was of rosebuds and Valentine's Day in the parlor of Ivy Metropolitan United Church.

The Rev. F. E. H. James performed the ceremony for the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Grant, 1848 St. Matthew Street, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bennett, London, Ont., here today in the Canadian Army, "O Promise Me" was sung by Mrs. Thomas Dixon.

The bride given in marriage was attended by her sister, Mrs. George D. Donaldson, who matron of honor for her formal ceremony wearing a navy crepe dress with matching straw hat and white accessories. The groom was attended by Mr. Ross Brock, of the Canadian Army, and Mr. R. George as best man.

At the reception held at the home of the bride's parents, the couple cut a two-tier cake topped with a tiny bride and groom in the valley and orange blossoms. Tall pink tapers and a bowl of white heather and pink primroses decorated the table. Mr. J. Mc. Arthur proposed the toast.

For the occasion Mrs. Grant wore a semi-tailored blue crepe gown with black accessories and Gardenia corsage.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett will reside at 294 Hillside Avenue.

Music Teachers Plan Recital

A special sponsored by the Victoria Registered Music Teachers' Association will be held in the Newstead Hall, on Friday, February 20, at 8 p.m. Proceeds will go to the scholarship fund.

Several studios will be represented in the program of instrumental vocal and ensemble numbers by junior and intermediate students.

The senior students will give the second in a series of Sunday afternoon recitals at the Art Centre, Moss Street, on February 22, at 3 p.m.

LOGY, LISTLESS, OUT OF LOVE WITH LIFE?

Then wake up your liver bile—

Doctors say of bad taste to go 2 lbs. a week weight loss! It may be the liver. Liver is a gallon of bile daily. If bile flows freely food turns into digest. Waste can stand stagnant . . . you feel sluggish, constipated, "out of love with life." That's when you need quick, gentle Carter's Little Liver Pills. You see Carter's Little Liver Pills are known to stimulate more liver bile for more easy digestion. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills for your liver's sake. Stay regular. Feel like living again. Get Carter's Little Liver Pills today. Insist on Carter's Little Liver Pills. Look for the name on the red pill box. Price 25c.

Annual Luncheon Meeting

Mrs. T. G. Clarke (second from left) presided at the luncheon and annual meeting of Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, IODE, at the YWCA Tuesday. Among others at the head table were Mrs. B. Smith, Mrs. Frank Hilliard and Miss Ruth Jones, who succeeded her mother, Mrs. O. M. Jones, honorary regent.

IODE Chapter Supplies Milk To Undernourished Children

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter, IODE, again fulfilled their main objective of providing milk to undernourished school children in Victoria, it was reported at the annual meeting held yesterday at the YWCA.

The sum of $209.93 was raised for this purpose by holding weekly bridges and tea and by giving a miniature milk can in stores and offices.

Other welfare work of the chapter included gifts of clothes, bedding, food and toys for needy families during the Xmas and Thanksgiving at a cost of $250.98.

Twenty-six parcels, totaling $1,132.20, were sent overseas, for other deserving children in countries where relief was needed. Prizes and magazines were provided for patients in the DVA hospital and a parcel sent to troops in Korea. Contributions were made to the cigarette fund, subscriptions to the National Geographic Magazine was given to the chapter's adopted school.

Officers for the year are Mrs. O. M. Jones, honorary regent; Mrs. T. G. Clarke, regent; Mrs. A. D. Reilly, vice-regent; Mrs. V. H. Maxwell, secretary; Mrs. D. Smith, treasurer; Mrs. A. Webster, educational secretary; Mrs. A. James, Echoes convener; Mrs. G. Frank, historian, treasurer, and Mrs. J. L. Angus, standard bearer.

Special guests at the luncheon which preceded the meeting were Miss Ruth Jones, daughter of the chapter's namesake, Mrs. T. Lumsden, regent of Municipal Chapter, Mrs. R. Shanks, Mrs. H. Menzies and Mrs. S. McDonald.

Mrs. William Ellis gave an interesting account of her recent trip to England and the Continent.

Anna St. Denis Is Bride Of Mr. Theodore R. Rixon

CANORS. White carnations and large silver baskets of white narcissus decorated St. Edward's Catholic Church on Saturday, February 14, for the ceremony, which united in marriage Anna Muriel St. Denis, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George St. Denis, St. Mark's Lake, and Theodore Robert Rixon, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Rixon of Salt Spring Island. The Rev. Father M. Lacroix officiated and Mrs. A. J. McDonald played the wedding music.

The radiant bride who was given in marriage by her father, wore a floor-length gown of white taffeta with bodice of Chantilly lace high neck and silk point sleeves. The full skirt was of white net and the longer tip silk net veil was held in place by a trim posy of orange blossoms on each side of her Juliet cap. She carried a heart-shaped bouquet of white carnations and white lily-of-the-valley centered with a white orchid and her only ornament was a silver and rhinestone chain and pendant, the gift of the bride groom.

Miss Jean St. Denis as her sister's maid of honor, and Miss Beverly Rogers as bridesmaid, wore similar floor length gowns of pale pink matching sides over strapless velvet bodices full net skirts over taffeta with pale blue heart-shaped bodices and matching mitts. They carried heart-shaped bouquets of pale blue irises and Mr. David Winteringham was best man and the ushers were Mr. Denis St. Denis and Mr. Glen Polhamus.

A reception attended by about 200 was held in the Sidney Hall which was decorated in red and white featuring white flowers and Valentine favors. The mother and mother-in-law of the bride assisted in receiving their guests. Mrs. St. Denis in a smart black dressmaker suit with velvet collar, pale pink hat with matching accessories and corsage of pink carnations. Mrs. Rixon wearing a dress of wine-colored velvet with black accessories and corsage of white carnations.

Bowls of white narcissi and carnations surrounded the three-tier wedding cake which was flanked by white candles in crystal holders. Mr. J. B. Fox bister proposed the toast.

Following a honeymoon on the mainland, for which the bride left in a dressmaker suit of cherry-colored wool with black accessories white topcoat and corsage of white orchids. Mr. and Mrs. Rixon will make their home in Port Angeles, Wash.

Out of town guests included Lieut. Col. and Mrs. L. C. Mathieson, Vancouver, Miss G. Kolins Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lane, Prince Rupert, Mr. and Mrs. George Ferguson, Pender, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Merz, Port Angeles, Miss Madeline Clay, Miss Cynthia Clarke, Miss Eileen Reeve and Mr. Phil Brown, Victoria.

Send Delegates To Convention

Mrs. J. I. Gates, Mrs. A. Cox, and Mrs. F. F. Reckett reported on the national convention held in Ottawa at the meeting of the Women's Liberal Forum, which took place at the home of Mrs. T. C. Smith.

Mrs. W. B. Mortimer gave a report on the Local Council of Women. Mrs. D. Gowanlock was welcomed as a new member.

Delegates to attend the B.C. Liberal Women's Association convention, Vancouver, on Saturday, February 28, are Mrs. T. C. Smith, Mrs. B. Mortimer, Mrs. W. B. Mortimer, Mrs. A. Ash, Mrs. F. F. Reckett, Mrs. H. J. Kritchell, Mrs. C. Kendall, and Mrs. J. P. Boyce.

Lenten Service Set at Langford

LANGFORD. The service of Holy Communion will be held at 9.30 a.m. today, Ash Wednesday, in St. Matthew's Church in Thornhill, after noon at 3.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall, a film on the Christian Faith will be shown for the school children and in the evening at 7.30 the same film will be shown for adults as part of the Lenten services.

Today's Favorite Recipe

Today's recipe was sent in by Mrs. Jack Fisher, 1410 Monterey Avenue.

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Baskets of pink and white gladioli flanking the altar rails for the wedding music was provided by Mrs. Jean Bulinski, who sang "The Lord's Prayer."

White lace fashioned the bride's ballering-length dress, which had a fitted lace jacket with stand-up collar and buttons down the front and inset panel of gathered tulle on the skirt. She wore a veil of nylon with scalloped lace edge, and carried a bouquet of red roses, white carnations, and lily-of-the-valley. Mr. Spence gave his daughter in marriage.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Irene Walker sister of the bride, who chose a gown of mauve net over taffeta with feather headdress and heart-shaped bouquet of red roses and white freesia.

Miss Vivian Price and Miss Phyllis Jones were bridesmaids, wearing gowns of net over taffeta in blue and rural respectively. They had feather headdresses and heart shaped bouquets of carnations and freesia.

Flower girl was Miss Nina Bulinski, who wore green taffeta and carried a basket of spring flowers.

Mr. John Vernon Routley was best man, and ushers were Mr. Dan Jones and Mr. Charles Walker.

The toast to the bride was proposed by Mr. Ernest Jones at the reception held at the Olde England Inn. Mrs. Jean Bulinski sang "Because" during the evening. The three-tier wedding cake was decorated with a heart and cupid.

SOOKE. Interdenominational World Day of Prayer is to be held in Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, Friday, February 20, at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. J. Hewitt, a retired missionary from Japan, will give the address. Women from Sooke district are invited to attend.

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London Letter

Gift Stall Never Looked in Mouth

BY L. BULLOCK WEBSTER

A brilliant new play which rocks the audience with laughter from start to finish has just made its appearance at the St. James's Theatre.

I had a very bad seat at the side and missed some of the action but as there are no seats behind you to some weeks ahead, one can not look a gift stall in the mouth.

Roger Macdougall has written a clever play, and no doubt influenced by the success of the two children in "The Innocents," has provided a couple of foolproof parts for two boys.

A young friend of mine Lance Severini, whose grandfather I know, who is just 13, has a part that convulses the audience with laughter and this is not Debit. The general, after long because Lance is a comedian and because Macdougall has Royal Engineers became a director, quites lines and created situations in which young Severini, playing quite seriously, with intense sincerity and a perfectly straight face, cannot fail.

HARMFUL BOY

He is a charming, good-look-ing 12 boy with a splendid theatrical show and complete reliability and self-possession.

His big success is in a scene with the headmaster of his school who is trying to find out why three students have disappeared. The three lads boil, in a very tender part of his over anatomy, shot up a manual arts teacher under whose lightning one of them had made a pistol, with bicycle ball-bearings for slugs.

Ian Hamilton, writing in Evening Standard, calls Lance "The Miracle Boy" and says "He bamboozles the headmaster with the sweet ease of a Machiavelli in chemistry clothing."

William Boone in the Evening News, heads his article "Boy of the Week."

The other boy's part is well played by Alec McCowen who is considerably older than the 13 years he represents in the play.

MISSED BOAT

John Hampden, played by Nigel Patrick (whom I seem to remember flying to Vancouver some years ago, when he missed the boat on which his company left Victoria) Stella Hampden, his wife, played by Phyllis Calvert, have three sons, Harry, Maximilian and Johnny, who are, or should be, at Dr. Skillingworth's school.

None of these three appear on the stage though they are constantly talked about and we feel we know them.

The original Harry, you will remember, was given wings by his father, Dandilus, but he flew too near the sun and came to grief.

This Harry has evidently been given mental wings by his father who is a writer and noted pacifist. The boy has great powers of leadership and with the backing of the whole school decides to carry a petition from the school boys of England to the peace conference in Vienna.

The three brothers, having sworn the students to secrecy, purloin an airplane and make their first stop at Luxembourg to send a wire home to say everything is okay.

VIOLENT SUSPENSE

Violent scenes between Mr. Lanner and Dr. Skillingworth keep the audience rocking in suspense.

Nigel Patrick gives his best performance to date as the irascible pacified and kindly Hawk as the headmaster, makes a very effective foil.

Phyllis Calvert, pretty and charming, has been provided by the author with some telling repartee if and when she is able to insert a word or two edgewise into the interminable flow of her husband's epistolary.

There are 11 characters. The play is directed by John Fernald and it had a two-week trial run at the Theatre Royal Brighton, before coming to Lon-

JOLLY AFFAIR

Yearsday Miss Flora Hamilton-Burns had a tea party at Buckingham. A very jolly affair

Among her interesting guests were General and Mrs. Lobbock and Henry Medd who was recently knighted. Sir Henry Medd was the last British consulting architect to the government of England she has managed to see and do so many interesting things.

In Mas and continuing throughout the Coronation period there is to be an exhibition at the Ashley Gallery of Bridget Bardot's tissue pictures. Bardot, in private life is Mrs. Maugham, sister-in-law of Somerset Maugham, the author.

ONLY ARTIST

Today we had tea with her in her studio and saw most of the pictures to be exhibited. Bardot is probably the only artist at present making pictures in this particular way.

She sticks small pieces of colored silk or gauze onto her canvas and where necessary paints some shadows over them. Her pictures of ballet dancers are well known having been exhibited in France and Italy as well as in London.

Of these ballet pictures Tatler magazine has said, "They capture the very essence of movement and of the elusive light and shade that make the potent charm of the theatre. But now Bardot is developing her self mainly in sacred pictures, some of which are like stained glass windows.

She manages to insert a luminosity to the delicate materials and the glitter and shimmer of silks and satins rival the effect of sunlight through stained glass.

Although her father, Hayward Hardy, painted in the traditional manner of his time and his hunting scenes hang in many a country house Bardot is an impressionist.

At a little distance her pictures give you the impression that she wishes to impart without, in, in one her experiments, "the fleeting effects of light and shade that make the spectacle of the theatre."

PASSED DOWN

Two of her great grandfathers were painters Sir William Beechey, whose full-length portrait of Nelson is well known and James Hardy.

Bardot began to paint when she was eight.

I have seen about 100 of her pictures done at that age, which her father kept in a scrapbook and they are quite remarkable for the draftsmanship, delicacy and blending of color. Whether she will ever do so again is in his abrupt manner. "This child has talent."

She is now a white-haired, elderly lady of very distinguished appearance and manner. Her sight is going and she laughingly says she likes her pictures better now that she can't see them so clearly.

Tightening of Laws On Traffic Ordered

Stiffer enforcement of speed zones and traffic regulations is expected to be carried out, even if it means more police help, Inspector Ronald ordered Monday night as it authorized seven new crosswalks, four fire hydrants and a test traffic island.

New pedestrian crossings are recommended by Police Chief C. Stancombe will be on Lyall Street at Grafton, Admiral at Shrader Lampson and Fraser Streets and Craigflower at Phoenix and Lampson Streets.

Five hydrants will be at the southeast corner of Kingston and Lampson Streets and 1,000 feet east of Foreshaw Road on Craigflower.

A test traffic island will be at the junction of Lampson, Douglas and Old Esquimalt Road, with municipal engineer instructed on cost before work is commenced.

Cir. E. E. Guillemaud said he felt stricter enforcement of speed zones, more and crosswalks was necessary, with more people to be hired if needed for full enforcement.

June Possible Date For School Tenders

Tenders for the new junior high school at Lansdowne and Richmond may be issued in June, the Greater Victoria School Board learned Monday night.

The proposed school is one of the several approved in the 1947 schools loan by-law. It will take students from Oaklands and Doncaster Schools and relieve some of the pressure from the already overcrowded S. J. Willis Junior High School.

Trustee A. J. de Beaurice, chairman of the buildings and grounds committee made the motion that the board issue a notice of an application by J. Leo Cook 317 North Park to rent the 25-acre site for a junior driving practice range.

Mr. de Beaurice moved that the application be turned down, in view of the plans for the new school and also because Victoria College uses the area for sports practice.

Youth Gets Four Months For Theft

William Schultz, 2014 Fernwood Road, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court yesterday. The youth had earlier been found guilty of stealing $5 from a pinball machine of a downtown restaurant.

Cir. E. P. Cummins said he felt the wanted the report tabled until the next meeting when all concerned could be brought together for question

Council Accepts Report on Blaze

Reports on the Christmas Eve fire which destroyed the home of PO Allen B. Whittaker, Holland Avenue, were satisfactory, members of Saanich council decided Monday night.

Cir. E. P. Cummins said he wanted the report tabled until the next meeting when all concerned could be brought together for question

Dredging Claimed Required

JORDAN RIVER: Dredging of silt in the outer basin in Sooke Harbor is needed reported Frank Gray at a recent meeting of the Sooke-Jordan River Chamber of Commerce.

J. M. Hilpert reported on the meeting of the B.C. chamber

Repair Work Permits Requested of Board

Building Inspector William Wilson to keep track of every little repair Overstreet has asked the city board to take out building permits for repair work on city schools.

"There is nothing in the by-laws excepting the school board from permits," said his worship Mayor Dean in the school board letter read at Monday night's meeting.

School board building superintendent Hamilton Smith said such a ruling would be "utterly impossible" Jesse.

Canadian Club To Hear Talk On British Role in Far East

Richard Gould Adams, staff lecturer in the Chamber of Commerce board room in the Black Canadian Economic Research Institute, will speak on "Britain's Role in the Far East," at a Canadian Club of Victoria luncheon, to be held in the Empress Hotel, at 12:15 p.m. February 26.

At 8 p.m. the same day, he will address a meeting of the Victoria Branch of the Canadian Institute of International Affairs.

Blind Winnipeg Curlers Enthuse on Win League

WINNIPEG (CP) — Every Sunday night during the winter a group of men and women participate in Winnipeg's weekly curling league and the curling set-up of its kind in Canada.

All 12 curlers on the three rinks are blind.

About a year ago, a few members of the Manitoba League of the Blind decided to try their hand at the game as part of this winter recreation. They received permission to play at the Deer Lodge Club, and within the league has become one of the most popular sporting activities for the blind.

Members of the Deer Lodge Club assist players in lining up shots. They also point the players on where the rocks are lying.

One member, Stan MacDonald, has served as a helper for the league since its inception. He says he is amazed at the enthusiasm the players have for the game.

OVER BLANK END

"They've really turned in some surprising plays at times," says MacDonald. In two years of play Five only seen one shot, end and in that time there hasn't been one side attention on a rink.

The helper's main function is "to see that the curlers get lined up in a straight line with the house. The players must judge for themselves the proper weight for their shots. One of the most enthusiastic of the blind curlers—half of whom are totally blind—and he—are credited with dreaming up the idea is Les Henry.

His interest in curling is so great that he rigged up two pieces of wire in the basement of his home last summer to get some special practice at lining up.

Henry, who said he "just decided to go out and give curling a try," was given a lot of assistance from prominent Deer Lodge curlers who took it from there.

Four rinks see action each week, with the winning team on the ice one morning the following Sunday.

Paintings Displayed

Paintings of roses grown and painted in Victoria by Emil Tartain were displayed recently at a flower show sponsored by the Royal Horticultural Society at Westminster, London.

Miss Tartain was awarded the Grenfell Silver Medal for her paintings and photos during her visit to Victoria.

Scouts Plan Paper Drive On Saturday

A paper drive sponsored by the View Royal Boy Scout troop will take place in the View Royal district on Saturday between 2 and 4 p.m.

Householders are asked to separate by tying bundles suitable for carrying and leaving them in a visible place.

Plans for the annual dance of the group committee in the View Royal Boy Scout Group are reported progressing favorably. The dance is to be held February 27 in the Colwood Hall.

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All interested parties desiring to be heard will submit twenty copies of their written Brief when appearing before the Committee.

On presentation of the Brief, submitters may speak on their written arguments.

All interested parties are requested immediately to notify the Secretary of the Committee at the Legislative Buildings, Victoria, of their intent to submit a Brief.

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L. L. KING, Secretary.

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